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A A R Y E A T A S. M. B. H. S.

"Morning sun greets many banners
On its western track,





Dear to us beyond all others

Waves the gold and black."





Foreword

A YEAR in Miami Beach High School—nine months of never-to-be-forgotten experiences with friends and teachers, we present to you in the pages ahead. As Seniors we offer our written and pictured record of the year which not even time can erase from our memories.

Our endeavors have been devoted to you—to giving you a true and honest reflection of Miami Beach High School. We present to you the culmination of a year's best efforts, the climax of six years' experiences—the 1940 Typhoon! We hope you like it.



Dedication

High School's Shakespearean authority and English teacher extraordinaire, that wizard of Webster, "Little Caesar" Roberts. Most familiar to the seniors is this diminuitive dynamo who guides the grammatical and literary endeavors of all senior English pupils and upon whose competent shoulders rests the editorial sponorship of the "Typhoon". For her knowing smile, keen observance of human nature, and ever sympathetic understanding, Miss Irene Roberts will long be loved and remembered by all of us.

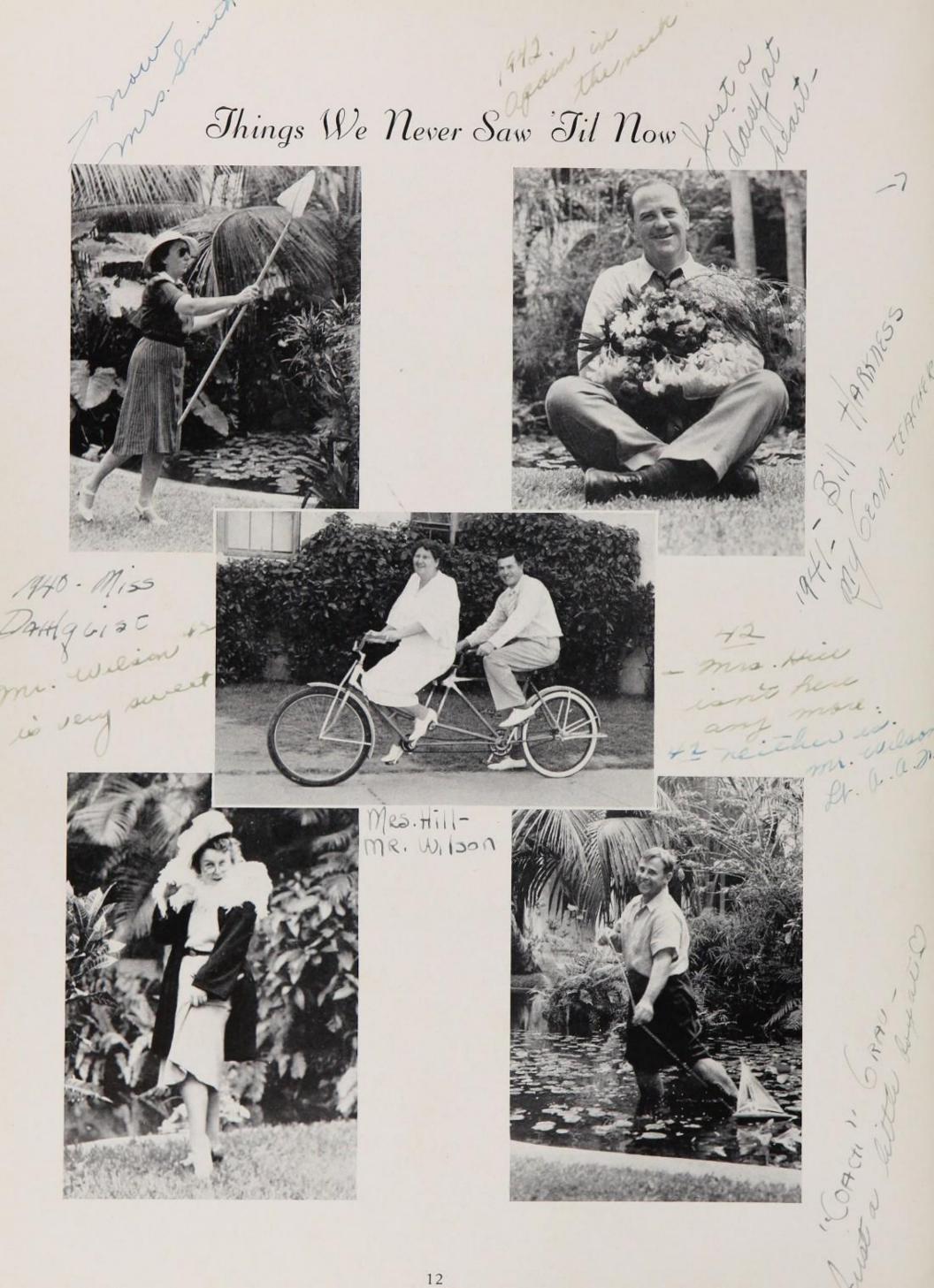
We consider it an honor to dedicate this record to her.



In Appreciation

WE of the Typhoon staff wish to express our sincere appreciation to the Hi-Tone Photographers for their generous cooperation which made picture-taking a pleasure, and to Mr. J. C. McMillan, who gave so liberally of his time and efforts in photographing numerous school pictures—to both Mr. McMillan and the Hi-Tone Photographers much of the success of our book is due and we are grateful to them; to Jim Meyer, whose assistance in the photography department was indispensable; to Mrs. Ione Hill for her helpful advice in the literary department, and to Harriet Kohn, Beatrice Mellicker, Natalie Martin, Annilee Cantor, Seymour Cohen, and Frances Sonneborn for their voluntary assistance in the advertising department.





Presenting ABC

The Administration

And-



Our Principal

Mr. Sidney H. Ellison

Supervising Principal of the Miami Beach

Public Schools

The Trustees

BEHIND every organization is a group of sincere, hard-working individuals—behind this school is such a group, the trustees. This guiding body, the board of trustees of Miami Beach High School, counts as its members Mr. Sidney H. Ellison, our principal; Mr. Robert Taylor, Mr. Van C. Kussrow, and Mr. Hugh S. Larrick. Supervising and overseeing the functions and inner-workings of our school, these men capably handle problems ranging from decisions of control and finance to individual entrance. Interested and enthusiastic supporters of all school activities are these men whose every effort is in the school and for the school one hundred per cent!



Left to right: Mr. Kussrow, Mr. Larrick, Mr. Taylor

Our Friends and Advisers, the Deans



Two of our finest and best-loved friends are Deans Ione Hill and Robert Wilson. Serving as right-hand assistants to the principal, these two teachers are, to a large extent, responsible for maintaining that ever-present friendly bond between teachers and pupils. Signing those familiar vari-colored passes composes only a small, visible portion of the daily duties of these two faculty members. Though infrequently free with their reprimands to deserving non-conformists, Deans Hill and Wilson are ever-ready to offer assistance to the troubled student. To these two friends we owe a measureless debt of gratitude for their sympathetic understanding in helping us solve life's many puzzling schemes.

Scenes in the Dean's Office



Well known to every student are the lines of boys and girls waiting their turns at the bureau of pass-signing.

Pass-collecting is a frequent objective of Perry Cohen's familiar corridor tours, and Natalie Irving has become synonomously associated with assisting the deans in all phases of work.



MRS. L. E. MARCUM, President

P. J. a.

WELL known to all of the student body is the organization of parents and teachers who constantly and tirelessly work for our benefit and for the good of the school.

The outstanding project of the Parent-Teacher Association this year has been the operation of a school supply shop in the junior high building. From the profits of this activity the P. T. A. earned enough money to award a \$250.00 scholarship, and to aid in establishing a second scholarship of the same nature.

This organization has also sponsored a series of adult study groups. The classes in P. T .A. work were taught by

Mrs. J. A. Austin, and those in adolescent psychology were directed by Dr. Bertha Cady.

Throughout the year the P. T. A. has portrayed in its monthly meetings the work of the different departments of the school. Each program was under the direction of a school department and members of the student body participated in the presentations.

An organization closely binding home and school, the P. T. A. devotes its every effort to the interests of our student body.



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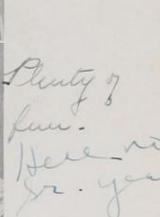
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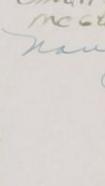
















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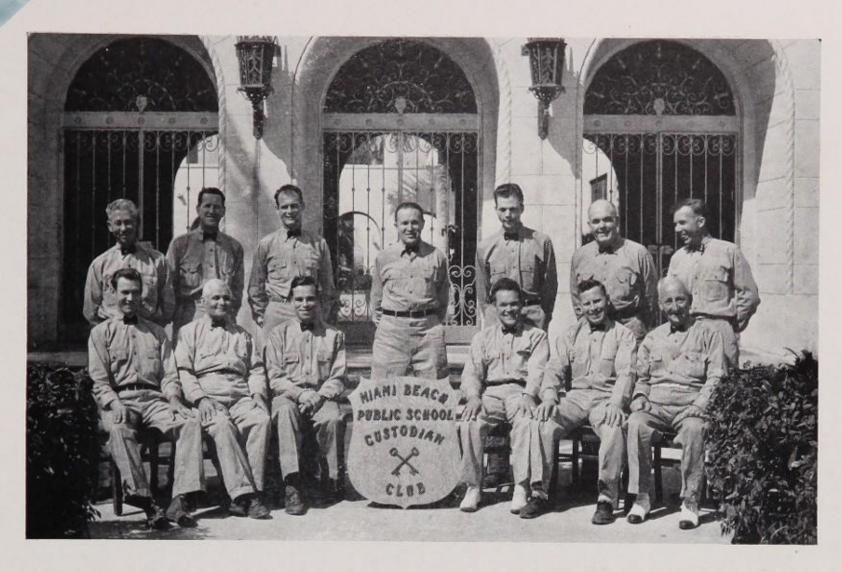
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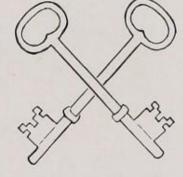
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Motto: "Guardians of Youth"







The Clinic

FAMILIAR to us all is our modern, well-equipped clinic. Here annually all students have vision and auditory tests, weight and height check-ups, and dental examinations. Here, also, one may find students patiently holding thermometers in their mouths—a part of their examination after illness. In addition to this, the capable nurses care for bruises, headaches, and numerous other ailments.

The Miami Beach public schools have placed physical perfection high on their list of essentials. This aim has been realized through the efficient efforts of the

nursing staff



The Cafeteria

CAFETERIA STAFF

MRS. SYBIL HANCOCK, Manager

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Mrs. William Booth

MRS. FAY MILLARD

MRS. SADIE RICHARDSON

OUR cafeteria, operated on a non-profit basis by the P. T. A., provides delicious meals for us at a small cost.

A popular innovation this year was the installation of a special quick-lunch counter, known as "Barbour's Bar". Here hot dogs, hamburgers, and those ever-popular "Dagwood" sandwiches were served.



Mrs. Marjory Barbour

As their contribution to the Bowes Memorial Patio, the members of the cafeteria staff donated one hundred dollars' worth of food and service for a dinner. All the money from the ticket sales for this event was contributed to the patio fund.

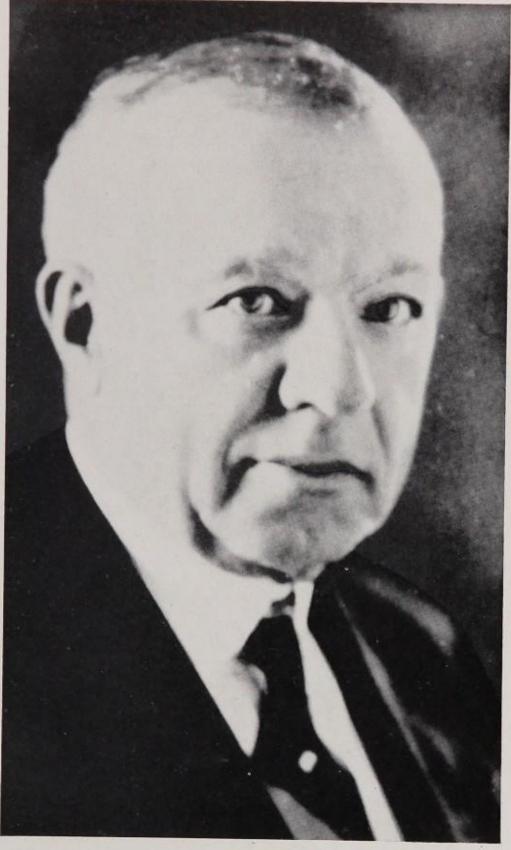
For good food and cooperation, we recommend our cafeteria!





The sweller world

In Memoriam



COLONEL ALPHONSUS L. BOWES

"A funeral among men is a wedding feast among the angels." These words of Gibran express with genuine sincerity our feeling in the passing of our friend, the late Colonel Alphonsus L. Bowes.

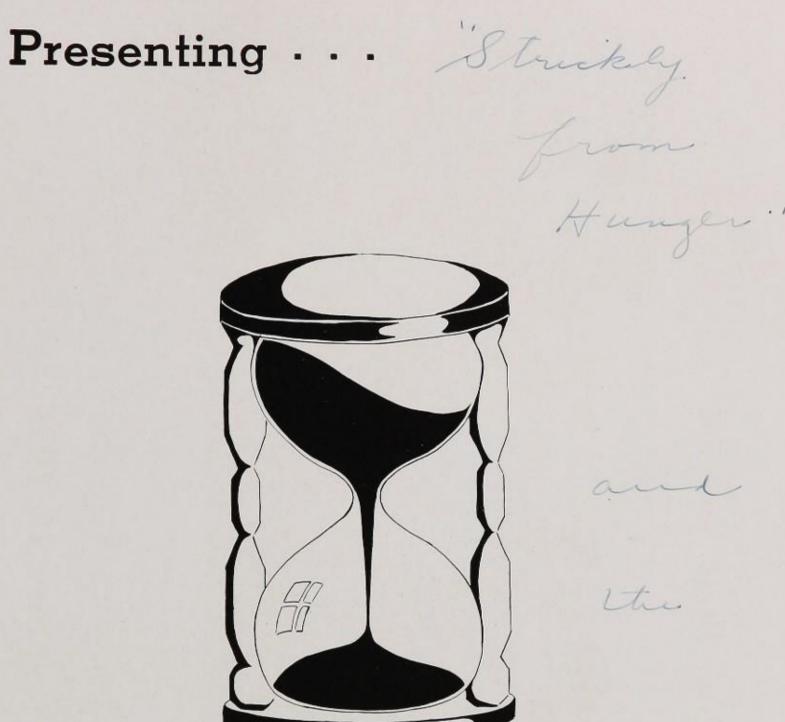
Familiar to all members of the student bodies and faculties of the Miami Beach School system, Daddy Bowes will long be remembered as one of our most loved friends and advisers.

Always interested in the activities and operations of the school, Daddy Bowes was never too busy to pause for a few minutes to converse with students and teachers. Perhaps it would be a bit of advice, a word of encouragement, or just an amusing anecdote—always an experience to remember.

For the tangible rewards of his constant and untiring efforts on behalf of the Miami Beach Schools, Daddy Bowes will long be remembered. For those many intangible rewards of his ever-present support and encouragement his memory will live forever!

November 11, 1939 Armistice Assembly

"God Bless America'



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And -



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President of the Junior High School

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THIRD ROW—Doris Tannenbaum, Connie Rothenberg, Gloria Groner, Ester Rosencrantz, Beverly Flink, Mrs. Clara Dalton.

FOURTH ROW—Richard Curtin, Raymond Seftell, David Esner, Grover Childers, Burt Oshins.

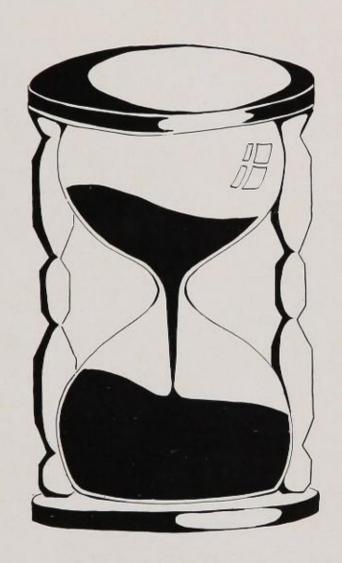
9A5—Miss Tarboux, Sponsor

FIRST ROW—Billy Oppenheim, Selma Fuller, Edith Cohen, Salley Gimbel, Catherine Harris, Maxine Bublitz, Shirley Trywusch, Brigida De Feo, Betty Gerton.

SECOND ROW—Ned Spiesberger, Charles Rubin. Stanley Wiener, Jean Barr, Carole Richman, Miriam Kissil, Walter Cummings, Robert Cohen, Salvatore Scialo, Miss Marie Tarboux.

THIRD ROW—Louis Strasser, Bill Saunders, Ted Teaney, Marty Vrion, Milton Berman, Bob Schieman, Sydney Appel, Burton Lindau.

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The Sophomore Class

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Sophomore Class Activities

Programs, parties, and guidance plans, this year's sophomore class activities—although the class does not function as a unit, the individual home room organizations have been active.

Many of the successful booths in the Junior Carnival were sponsored by sophomore home rooms. The sophomores contributed very generously to the Bowes Memorial Patio Fund. Several "B" Club men and band contest winners are "Sophs". Sophomore teams participated in the home room basketball tournament conducted in the gym.

Most of the sophomore home rooms hold student-conducted programs once a week. These programs cover a multitude of subjects and interests—among which may be included hobby programs, quiz programs of all sorts, and various contests. The class members are very enthusiastic about these weekly activities.

Much of the success of this class is due to the work of the sophomore home room presidents, most of whom are pictured above. They are, left to right: Martin Rosen, Phyllis Cohen, Martin Dain, Tommy Brumlik, and Bobby Blumenthal. Other sophomore presidents are Jefferson Ford, George Orr, and Bob Moore.

Miss Birdie McAllister, Sponsor, 10B1



Mr. Albert Cox, Sponsor, 10B2

Mrs. Helen Thompson, Sponsor, 10B3



Miss Helen Davis, Sponsor, 10A2



Mrs. Frances Holmes, Sponsor, 10A3

Mrs. Jesse Menneken, Sponsor, 10A4



Miss Nina Rickman, Sponsor, 10A5

Sophomore Homeroom Identifications

10B1-Miss B. McAllister, Sponsor

FIRST ROW—Tedda Friedman, Helaine Wahlhaus, Blossom Fischer, Elenor Leharer, Edna Jalter, Judith Moss, Dorothy Grossman.

SECOND ROW—Alan Kraft, Gene Le-Bell, Janet Richards, Beverely Sommer, Irene Lapidas, Muriel Wiener, Idelle Levine, Benge Wolfson, Arthur Jacobs, Ronnie Weiner.

THIRD ROW—Roland Weintrub, Charles Kinsell, Thoman Gattle, Kenneth Meyerson, Walter Sall, Herbert Ellis, William Lewis, Kim Kyle, Sheldon Phillips, Miss Birdie McAllister, Martin Rosen.

FOURTH ROW—Thomas Bell, Arthur Levine, Sid Newman, Edward Monasch. NOT IN PICTURE—Henery Bronner, Marc Reiss, Muriel Levey.

10B2-Mr. Cox, Sponsor

FIRST ROW—Irving Kofsky, Marilyn Meyer, Marie Marzang, Gloria Katz, Eileen Gasner, Thomosa Silverstein, Betsy Zurwelle, Lorraine Meyer, Harry Newman.

SECOND ROW—Alan Zissman, Israel Harris, Harold Lobree, Donaol Kabley, Charles Weinstein, Edward Greenberg, Richard Gottlieb, Irving Leibson, Lewis Shenker.

THIRD ROW—Mr. Albert Cox, Harry Chakiris, Lynn Morrison, James Suedigar, Abby Silverstein, Marion Zucker, Devora Crystal, Rita Semmel, Mindel Warfield, Frank Rosen, George Orr, Andre Pierson, George Carroll.

FOURTH ROW—Bert Sager, Sidney Eisman, David Cohen, Bob Gumbiner, Robert Ranagan.

NOT IN PICTURE—Theodore Cohen, Florence Reichfield, Morton Rosenbaum,

Harold Pero, Norman Berkowitz, Stanley Cohen, Bernard Moses, Belle Cohen, Barbara Silver.

10B3—Mrs. Thompson, Sponsor

FIRST ROW—Marcy Eisenberg, Paul Wierman, Lee Abramson, Robert Nadler.

SECOND ROW—Starvula Athan, Margaret Fink, Shirley Pritt, Clara Bollotin, Rosemary Thurston, Edna Mae Dockerey, Joan Pappert.

THIRD ROW — Lionel Rothenberg, Russell Stocker, Kenneth Lipman, Robert Stensloff, Jefferson Ford, George McMullen, Arthur Deutcher, Lawrence Levin, Leonard Hyman, Mrs. Helen Thompson.

FOURTH ROW—Irwin Alper, Sam Miller, Marvin Robin, Elliot Lewis, Tom Withers, Charles Sherman, John Goodman, Fred Koran.

10A1—Miss Boyd, Sponsor

FIRST ROW—Howard Pearle, Bernard Schwartz, Geraldine Gewertz, Leona Erlin, Rosalind Sugarman, Marilyn Tunick, Enid Levantin, Bernard Lovitky, Bob Moore.

SECOND ROW — Lillian Pertzman, Sophie Athan, Charlotte Cowan, Nellie Sheer, Caroly Rose, Cynthia Barnett, Sallee Fox, Judith Rodnick.

THIRD ROW — Milton Silverstein, Elaine Berick, Reene Leibowitz, Leah Israelson, Paul Lowe.

FOURTH ROW—Eddie Benditzki, Milton Korengold, Bernard Hutner, Bert Meyers, Calvin Schneider.

FIFTH ROW—Gerald Simon, Lester Gordon, Arnold Slome, Charles Mauch, Albert Beer, Burt Blumberg.

Sophomore Homeroom Identifications-Continued

10A2-Miss Davis, Sponsor

FIRST ROW—Mildred Joseloff, Arlyne Stern, Doris Rabinovitz, Ruth Greenblum, Joan Sternberg, Mirian Cohen, Rita Witt, Marjorie Medoff, May Robbins.

SECOND ROW—Gloria White, Blanche Radin, Muriel Aptel, Betty Van Sickle, Theresa Attanasio, Ina Kass, Alice Taggert, Marilyn Sepin, Janet Abrams, Ruth Polick, Lillian Sefres.

THIRD ROW—Jerry Minenberg, Robert Blumenthal, George Welitskin, John Maurice, William Stein, Robert Bawer, Theodore Herman, Miss Helen Davis.

FOURTH ROW-Fred Scheuer, Richard Rosenbaum, Martin Horowitz.

10A3-Mrs. Holmes, Sponsor

FIRST ROW—Rita Wechsler, Corinne Davis, Selma Minden, Joy Bauer, Muriel Auslander, Sonia Seitelman, Jackie Barr, Lenore Coplan, Beatrice Rambam.

SECOND ROW—Sheldon Weisberg, Charles Shell, Sidney Goldstein, Marwin Cassel, Sheldon Hulsh, Howard Barnhard, Simon Jacobs, Sanford Nager, Tommy Brumlik.

THIRD ROW—Ed Singer, Morton Frank, Mrs. Frances Holmes, Edythe Soloman, Phyllis Kahn, Rita Schoenfeld, Catherine Woodward, Filis Gelbort, Carol Bauer, Muriel Caplan, Harold Wanger, Fred Caswell, Joseph Kowalsky.

FOURTH ROW—Irwin Pollack, Irvin Kargher, Bob Adler, Ed Alberts, Henry Rifkin.

10A4—Mrs. Menneken, Sponsor

FIRST ROW—Anna Rein, Hilda Hornstein, Muriel Friedman, Lois Lemon, Betty Barbour, Elaine Pels, Joy Little.

SIXTH ROW neth Nolen, Roy Victor Rubovsky.

SECOND ROW—Shirley Dweres, Tommy Tashiro, Paul Enfield, Seymour Stahl, Irs Kaplan, Robert Weitz, Leslie August, Leonard Merlin, Julian Weinkle, Jacqueline Merriam.

THIRD ROW—Mrs. Jesse Menneken, Arline Diamond, Joan Mitchell, Nancy Woodward, Mollye Fancher Wilson, Dorothy Lewis, Emmy Lou West, Lester Moore, Phyllis Cohen, Sylvia Ziff, Jane Marie Clements, Gloria Hooper, Margaret Henry.

FOURTH ROW—William Silverman, Sheldon Schreiber, Malcolm Cohn, Bert Solinsky, Myrnice Bell.

NOT IN PICTURE—Margaret Ahern, Miriam Hoskins, Jerry Rovinson, Covert Jones, Kay Burritt, Hilda Rosenberg.

10A5-Miss Rickman, Sponsor

FIRST ROW—Edith Mary Kurz, Jerry Denker, Annette Reamer, Elizabeth Martin, Leonore Zirinsky, Zelda Bloomgarden, Betty Dupuis, Martin Dain, Violet Post.

SECOND ROW—Jack Fiverson, Paula Wander, Ann Siegal, Maurrie Bernstein, Edythe Weinstock, Jeanne Heller, Faye Goldstein, Stephen Tanner, Miss Nina Rickman.

THIRD ROW—Marjorie Fisher, Evelyn Rodan, Corinne Jaffe, Helen Siegal.

FOURTH ROW—Max Brieff, Leonard Wallich, Donald Eanett, Robert Lynn.

FIFTH ROW—Milton Zatinsky, Bill Frey, Stanley Lambert, Harrison Wadsworth.

SIXTH ROW—Irvin Rauchman, Kenneth Nolen, Roy Byrnes, Jack Ankus, Victor Rubovsky.

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The Junior Class



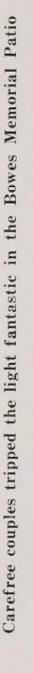
Queen of the Carnival! Phyllis Kruger

Comme



were Maids of Honor Laura Dozier and Janet Cole Leaders of the Queen's procession







1939

every committee of the carnival-Lila Greenspan, chairman of the Belvin Friedman, the boy who made this year's carnival click-Alice Bagby, Belvin's Girl Friday, who was seen here and there, working on coronation committee, whose efforts contributed largely to the beauty of the coronation.



decoration of the booths Construction and was

combination of work and fun-then off to join the crowd for the parace social event of the season-in other words-the Junior Carnival! A crowded midway—resplendent with strings of colored electric lights, inviting booths, loud barkers, tempting food, and funny prizes-did a lively business till midnight. Happy groups pushed their way through the masses on Drexel Avenue to dance in the And then, the coronation! During the impressive ceremony, beauteous Phyllis Kruger was The night of nights! The gayest, noisiest, most important Bowes Memorial Patio. The famous Minstrel Show was presented three times to a capacity audience.

crowned the 1939 Carnival Queen. The lovely procession of the Queen's retinue climaxed this, the most successful Junior Carnival

g, Marshall Rosenberg, and Billy

Stubbs, the funny men of the minstrel, are candidly caught above.

Mervyn Thal, Irwin Bloomber

Below is a picture of the entire minstrel cast.

in the history of Miami Beach High School.



The Junior-Senior Prom



The annual Junior-Senior Prom! Dancing on the deck . . . floor show . . . good food . . . fine speeches . . . and many more enjoyable activities made the 1940 Prom one of the finest in our school's history.



Introducing -



Below Marion alux The Junior Class Officers

As managers of two of the school's largest and most important events the members of the junior class have experienced a busy and interesting year of activities. Throughout the first semester this class was concerned with the problems of the Junior Carnival production. Their net profit of \$434.45 evidenced one of the most successful of the Miami Beach High School Carnivals.

The annual Junior-Senior Prom, at which the eleventh graders entertain their upperclassmen, was held at Macfadden-Deauville on March 20.

The capable juniors who this year filled the four major offices were: president, Belvin Friedson; vice-president, Bob Mann; secretary, Alice Bagby; and treasurer, Marion Barbour. Headed by this efficient group of students working in cooperation with the five sponsors, the junior class of 1940 has become a smooth-running and eagerly cooperative group—a most promising senior class in the making!

Miss Betty Middleton, Sponsor, 11B1



Mr. Frank Gottwald, Sponsor, 11B2

Mrs. Mary P. Ware, Sponsor, 11B3



Mrs. Grace Brown, Sponsor, 11A1

Mrs. Lilla C. Lyle, Sponsor, 11A2



Mr. Wm. S. Harkness, Jr., Sponsor, 11A3

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Miss Muriel Mahoney, Sponsor, 11A4



Mr. J. C. McMillan, Sponsor, 12B1

Junior Homeroom Identifications

11B1-Miss Middleton, Sponsor

FIRST ROW—Wallace Gessinger, Sydell Engelberg, Dolores Bloom, Edna Roth, Elizabeth Dinham, Miss Betty Middleton.

SECOND ROW—Marsha Morrison, Claire Brandler, Elsie Turnpaugh, Margaret Ebelmesser, Vera Jean Gerhardt, Marilyn Fogel, Nanette Cohen, Lila Sabol.

THIRD ROW—Marjorie Brandfon, Audrey Hirsch, Elaine Kall, Pearl Feinberg, Charlotte Sternstein, Barbara Newmark.

FOURTH ROW—Herbert Rubenstein, James Addison, Sanford Berg, Kenneth Davidson, Robert Hirst, Leonard Evantash, Jack Spitz, Stanley Tepper, Teddy Cohen, George Hunter.

FIFTH ROW—Milton Weinkle, Lee Miller, Jerry Goodman.

11B2—Mr. GOTTWALD, Sponsor

FIRST ROW—Blanche Nordyke, Lillian Millner, Bernice Miller, Betty Diamond, Helen Olin, Mona Rubin, Beatrice Schulman, Nellie Sheer, Shirley Swede.

SECOND ROW—Alvin Savage, Justice Miller, William Freedman, Gordon Bertram, Monroe Gellert, Fred Roseman, Marvin Binstock, Mortimor Silvey, Stanley Platkin.

THIRD ROW—Mr. Frank Gottwald, Patricia Clarke, Neal Inman, Bernice Shufer, Evelyn Folscheid, Beverly Raphael, Josephine Miller, Rena Djaml.

FOURTH ROW—Laurence Schwab, Seymour Sussman, William Kenney, Edward Feinstein, Harold Rothlein.

NOT IN PICTURE—Norman Jamison, Muriel Neufeld, Leonard Schwartz, Gerald Wolff, Donald Yaxley. 11B3-Mrs. WARE, Sponsor

FIRST ROW—Evelyn Lippman, Elaine Jacoby, Sylvia Schlesinger, Betty Lindgren, Fay Meinberg, Elaine Stillman, Freda Goldstein.

SECOND ROW—Paul Zucker, Sherman Tobin, Eugene Goldstein, Burton Cohen, Leroy Levy, Norbert Gottsegen, Milton Mamber, Jerome Walshon.

THIRD ROW—Mrs. Mary P. Ware, Irving Warsinger, Bernard Hoffman, Sherley Lacer, Robert Saron, Perry Cumsky, William Kip, Mel Goodman.

FOURTH ROW—Morton Freedman, Jack Berrent, Louis Snedigar, Lester Margolis, Dick Schwarz.

NOT IN PICTURE—Sol Bernstein, Robert Boyle, Frank Manson, Norman Reese.

11A1-Mrs. Brown, Sponsor

FIRST ROW—Robert Mann, Phyllis Rudman, Florence Pasehoff, Marie Merritt, Hariette Gottesman, Nettie Sutton, Shirley Wittenberg.

SECOND ROW—Burton Kotlikoff, Carl Popper, Kate Spielberg, Shirley Greenfield, Rosalynde Gorshel, Frances Graves, Eileen Press, Ruth Golds, Jacqeline Egger, Richard Popper, Joseph Gacknowitz, Mrs. Grace Brown.

THIRD ROW—Herbert Berman, Norman Goldstein, Charles Jackson, Robert Singer.

FOURTH ROW—Walter Reid, Robert Marcus, Seymour Glasser, Arthur Wilensky, Jim Cobbs, George Zitomer, Richard Delk, Joseph Riviere.

SIXTH ROW-Sidney Josepher.

Junior Homeroom Identifications-Continued

11A2-MRS. LYLE, Sponsor

FIRST ROW—Alice Bagby, Rhoda Resnick, Beulah Spitz, Charlotte Bernstein, Vivian Feld, Marilyn Brady, Cynthia Read, Ellen Lee Marcum, Marion Barbour.

SECOND ROW—Betty Ann Weintraub, Raschi Schorr, Betty Battle, Elizabeth Davis, Frances Genter, Lila Greenspan, Ferrell Willis, Dorrace Mansker, Thelma Mandel, Doris Lindau, Estelle Kass.

THIRD ROW—Mrs. Lilla C. Lyle, Teddy Hyman, Edwin Whitman, Bill Schiff, Arthur Bookbinder, Gilbert Dunbar, Bobby Edens, Daniel Gottlieb, Allen Seidenberg, Louis Deutsch, George Seltzer.

FOURTH ROW—Norman Rubin, Joe Douglas, Joseph Kimmel, Eugene Share.

11A3-Mr. HARKNESS, Sponsor

FIRST ROW—June Lundberg, Eileen Terry, Eileen Cowen, Natalie Irving, Betty Berlin, Elsa Youngs, Ann Cassel, Ruth Hirsch, Miriam Wolf.

SECOND ROW—Norman Rosen, Sidnev Wien, Alexander Inmatt, Sidney Karlin, Hubert Saal, Norman Arkin, Irving Tennebaum, John Carter, Bill Booth.

THIRD ROW—Mr. William S. Harkness, Jr., Gladys Schnall, Rachel Oka, Helen Elfenbein, Janet Spring.

FOURTH ROW—Phyllis Wolfson, Carol Reisner, Ruth Eisenberg, Ruth Courtman, Ruth Wolkowsky.

FIFTH ROW-Belvin Friedson, Karl

Warshaw, Howard Sunshine, Charles Hartwick, Howard Davis, Herbert Le Boyer, Jack Beddall, Murray Krieger.

11A4—Miss Mahoney, Sponsor

FIRST ROW—Toby Cooper, May Goldberg, Lois Raylin, Ellen Anderson, Nannette Cohen, Renee Schwartz, Mildred Goldenberg.

SECOND ROW—Jerry Goldhagen, Robert McDonald, Noble Mason, Harvey Heisman, Roy Tendler, Jack Courshon, Robert Levien, Sandy Rosenthal.

THIRD ROW—Miss Muriel Mahoney, Gloria Schwartzkoff, Beatrice Welitskin, Ed Plout, Fred James, George Holbert, Gerald Star, James Cosper, Harris Toll, Hilda Ratner, Sylvia Smith.

FOURTH ROW—Claire Malbin, Grace Walton, Anna Bests, Patricia Rodgers, Virginia Morrow.

12B1—MR. McMillan, Sponsor

FIRST ROW—Mary Silverstein, Carol Biel, Margaret Moore, Diane De Koven, Natalie Frankel.

SECOND ROW—Bob Appleton, Selma Shapiro, Marjorie Firstman, Miriana Spivak, Florence Roth, Irene Dockery, Lila Sprintz, Mr. J. C. McMillan.

THIRD ROW—Wesley Basnett, Donny Konski, Leonard Drillick, Melvin Keller, Jack Blair.

FOURTH ROW—Eli Gersten, Billy Stubbs, Harry Smezkal, Maxwell Graves, Harold Resnikoff, Herbert Bernstein.

Once Upon A Time



TOP ROW-Marie Donovan, Janet Cole, Frances Sonneborn, Dorothy Wollner, Ruth and Mary Hoerger. SECOND ROW-Hasseltine Hunt, Joan Fleming, Phyllis Pelton, Nancy Quigley, Peggy Sporborg. THIRD ROW-Laura Dozier, Bob Riddleberger, Marshall Rosenberg, Bill Wilcox. FOURTH ROW-Phyllis Hertzman, Carey Ginsberg, Carol Berkman, Phyllis Kruger.

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The Senior Class

Most Popular



Laura Dozier



BILL WILCOX

Who's Who

In The

Senior Class

1941

Most Studious



ELIZABETH LEWIS



TIM MOORE

Best Dancers





HARRIET KOHN JOE HIRSCH Shirley Sweet Joe Douglas

Most Sincere



PHYLLIS HERTZMAN



JACK RUBIN

Most Amazing



JOANNE PUFFER



LEWIS ALBERTS











JANET COLE

MERVYN THAL

LAURA DOZIER BILL WILCOX

Most Athletic

Most Musical











FLORENCE ZUCKERMAN

JACK FARLEY

ALICE PRESS

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Best Looking 8-2



PHYLLIS KRUGER grow water



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Most Likely to Succeed





LAURA DOZIER MARSHALL ROSENBERG

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The Senior Class Officers



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Vice Presi	dei	7 <i>t</i>		•					. MERVYN THAL
									ELIZABETH LEWIS
Treasurer					120				. JEAN WINTER

In the pages ahead we present to you our seniors. Listed with the pictures are the names and birthplaces accompanied by quotations for each member of the class.

RICHARD ADAMS

Birmingham, Alabama

"Ready, willing, and able)"

RUTH ALPERT

Springfield, Massachusetts

"A heart to resolve, a head to contrive, a hand to execute"

LITA ARONOVITZ
Palm Beach, Florida

"The kind of girl one likes to meet"

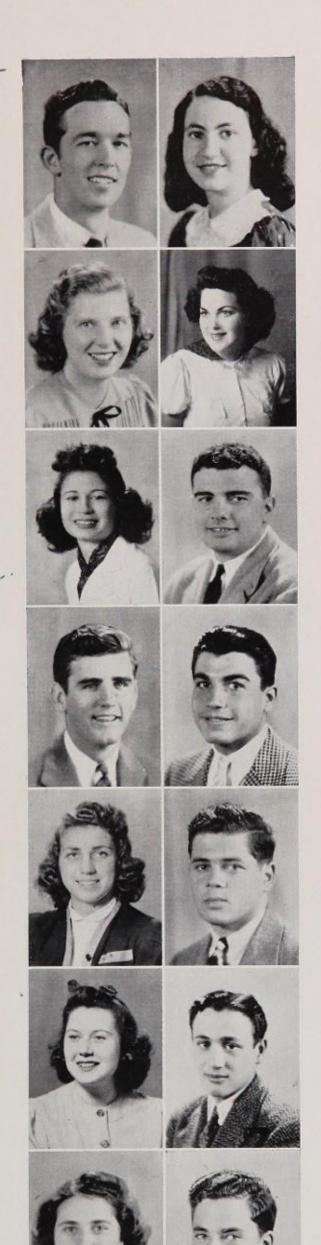
HERBERT ABELE, JR. Memphis, Tennessee

"Strong mind, great heart, true faith and willing hands"

Marianna Bronston
Plainfield, New Jersey
"She lives most who lives
most for others"

ARLENE BLANK
Brooklyn, New York
"By her life alone, gracious and sweet,
The better way is shown"

SHIRLEY ELAYNE BLOOM
Baltimore, Maryland
"In youth and beauty wisdom
is but rare"



MARYLYN ALTSCHUL
Baltimore, Maryland
"Write me down as one who
loves his fellowman"

ANITA ALTER
Baltimore, Maryland
"A friend thou art indeed"

LEWIS ALBERTS

New York City

"For he's a jolly good fellow"

BERNARD APPLEBAUM Atlantic City, New Jersey "Hail fellow, well met"

IRWIN BLOOMBERG

Bronx, New York
"They love, they hate, but
they cannot do without him"

IRVING BAKER

Lynn, Massachusetts

"I'm happy as I am"

Frank Berlin
Brooklyn, New York
"Give him any task
And that's all he'll ask"

. HAROLD BAMBERG

Montclair, New Jersey

"There's honesty, manhood, and good fellowship in thee"

George J. Berlin
Brooklyn, New York
"A man he seems of cheerful
yesterdays and confident
tomorrows"

EVELYN BELOV
Philadelphia, Pennsylvania
"Music is thy soul"

CAROL BERKMAN

Brooklyn, New York

"A cheerful smile is well
worth while"

Marguerite Bourbon New York City "Elfish charm is hers"

EDWIN CHENTOFF

Brooklyn, New York

"Clear thinking is a sign of success"

Sermour Cohen
Paterson, New Jersey
"A little nonsense now and then
Is relished by the best of men"













Yonkers, New York
"The joy of youth and health
her eyes displayed"

Solomon R. Blumenkranz
Englewood, New Jersey
"His skiff does with the current glide,
Not puffing pulled against the tide"

Shirlee Bower
Chicago, Illinois
"We find in life what we put
into it"

JIM BURGNER
Akron, Ohio
"The secret of success is constancy to purpose"

LORRAINE SYLVIA BROWN
Springfield, Massachusetts
"Gentle in words, gentle in actions"

Morton Burtram Cohen
Schenectady, New York
"'Tis perseverance that
prevails"

HELEN CLANCY
New York City
"She walks in beauty"

Annilee Cantor Akron, Ohio

"Blessed with that charm, the certainty to please"

JACQUELINE HARRINGTON
COOGAN
Boston, Massachusetts
"Thy modesty's a candle to
thy merit"

BILL COHEN Cleveland, Ohio

"He who works well and hard is the one who succeeds."

PERRY COHEN

Richmond Hill, New York

"It's a friendly heart that has many friends"

DELMAR A. DAMRAU
Paterson, New Jersey
"Handsome is as handsome does"

MARIE DONOVAN Richmond, Virginia

"Not too serious, not too gay, But an altogether jolly good fellow"

HARRY DECHOVITZ
Comer, Georgia

"Men of few words are the best men"















JANET COLE Detroit, Michigan

"A thing of beauty is a joy forever"

Doris Ann Carver Michigan City, Indiana

"The readiness of doing doth express No other than the doer's willingness."

Norma Claus

New Rochelle, New York

"She likes what e'er she looks

upon;

Her looks go everywhere"

IRENE DANAROFF
Berlin, Germany
"There is no wealth like unto knowledge"

SIGMUND DRURY
Brunswick, Georgia
aight from the shoulder.

"Straight from the shoulder, Right from the heart"

ALBERT J. DAVIDSON

Detroit, Michigan

"His resolve is not to seem the bravest,
But to be"

CORINNE DU DOIS Tannersville, New York

"Her voice was ever soft, gentle, and low— An excellent thing in woman" LONNIE DICKSON

Columbia, South Carolina

"Happy and carefree is he"

Laura Clouise Dozier Augusta, Georgia

"Her health! And would on earth

There stood some more of such a frame

That life might all be poetry And weariness a name"

/ FLORAN FRIEDMAN
Kansas City, Missouri
"For all that faire is,
Is by nature good"

Frances Charlene Farver Middleburg, Indiana "She has a voice of gladness And a smile one never forgets"

> STANLEY FRANK New York City

"An able man shows his
spirit
By gentle words and resolute actions"

JEANNE SUE GARRARD
Birmingham, Alabama
"To know her is to love her"

Morris Gelbfish Poland

"I dare do all that may become a man"



JACK FARLEY
Portsmouth, New Hampshire
"Unlike others, he is himself"

Fred Feinberg
New York City
"He's a good thinker"

Joan Leigh Fleming
Long Island, New York
"Good natured always was
she"

IRVING FRIEDMAN
Chicago, Illinois
"Young in limbs,
In judgment old"

EDWARD FRIEDSON

Hartford, Connecticut

"His limbs were cast in manly mould
For hearty sports and contests bold"

CAREY GINSBERGH
Philadelphia, Pennsylvania
"Hers is the quietness of depth"

Shirley Gordon
Sharon Springs, New York
"An abridgement of everything pleasant in girls"

LLOYD GARDNER
Chicago, Illinois
"Take the world as it is,
Not as it ought to be"

Martin Greenberg
New York City
"The hand that follows intellect can achieve"

LEONARD GLASSER

New York City

"An ounce of mirth is worth
a pound of sorrow"

Mary Hoerger

Miami Beach, Florida

"I have a heart with room for every joy"

CORINNE HOLLENDER

New York City

"As full of spirit as the month
of May"

Hasseltine Hunt
Atlanta, Georgia
"As carefree as the day is long"

JOE HIRSCH
Kingston, New York
"A friend to all the world"



Arnold Goodhart
New York City
"Thinkers are scarce as gold"

MERTON GETTIS

New York City
"To know oneself is true progress"

BILLY HIBEL

Boston, Massachusetts

"A happy smile is the world's best tonic"

IRVING HOROWITZ

Bronx, New York
"Though vanquished, he could still argue"

PHYLLIS HERTZMAN

Cincinnati, Ohio

"Her sprightly looks a lively
mind disclose"

RUTH HOERGER

Miami, Florida

"Pure of soul and faithful of heart"

BETTE HANSON
Paterson, New Jersey
"She charms the very air"

RICHARD SAMUEL HODES
New York City

"Gentleman is written legibly on his brow"

Rosanne Jameson Detroit, Michigan

"Who deserves well needs not another's praise"

GILBERT JOHNSON Miami, Florida

"The more he learned, the less he spoke"

BEBE KAYSEN London, England

"Her virtues were many, her faults few"

PHYLLIS ANN KRUGER New York City

"Beauty and talent—no wonder we love her so"

> Marvin Kranz Brooklyn, New York

"The thoughts of youth are long, long thoughts"

Bob Kanter Savannah, Georgia

"The world belongs to the energetic"















PHYLLIS HOROWITZ
Brooklyn, New York
"Beauty seen is never lost"

FRANCIS HERROW JACK, III

Peoria, Illinois

"To laugh is proper to the man"

MARGARET WILSON JAMES

Adrian, Georgia

"Gentle in personage,
Conduct and equipage"

Constance Elaine Jarver
New York City
"Always ready with helping hands"

RUTH KATZ
Nuteaushull, New York
"I saw a twinkle in her eye"

MURREL KASTAN
Louisville, Kentucky
"Here's a heart for any task"

SYLVIA KIMMEL

Buffalo, New York

"A merry heart goes all the way"

Harriet Kohn New York City

"Nothing great was ever achieved without enthusiasm"

CHARLES KEOSKIE

New York City

"With words we govern men"

PAULINE LUX
Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania
"Silence is deep as eternity"

BETTE RITA LIEBLING
Baltimore, Maryland
"None named her but to praise"

PRISCILLA LEE
Detroit, Michigan
"Sweet personality,
Full of rascality"

NATALIE EDGAR
New York City
"I see her sweet and fair"

Doris Jean McIntosh Allentown, Pennsylvania "Ever gentle in thought and deed"















Donald Klein

Bronx, New York

"Why worry now for tomorrow"

HARVEY KLEIN
Cleveland, Ohio
"There's always time for fun
in a day's work"

RUTH NITA LAZARUS

New York City

"Good nature and good sense are good companions"

ELIZABETH LEWIS
Evanston, Illinois
"Those who know her best praise her most"

HARRY LEE
Milwaukee, Wisconsin
"Short as a minute,
Bright as a silver dollar"

David Levantin

New York City

"'Tis perseverance that that prevails"

Natalie Martin
New York City
"Never too busy to smile"

SALLY MANTELL Brooklyn, New York "So gentle and sweet, So fully complete"

BEATRICE MELLICKER New York City "Pretty to walk with, Witty to talk with, And pleasant, too, to

ELLIS MARKS New York City "The man who believes is the man who achieves"

JACK METZGER Atlanta, Georgia 'A good-hearted comrade'

ARNOLD NAMROY New York City "Friendship is constant in all things"

IRENE NASSAU New York City "Pretty, intelligent, and lovable"

RALPH NEWMAN Cleveland, Ohio "He whose inborn worth his acts commend. Of gentle soul, to human race a friend"









CELIA MANGELS Miami, Florida "A tender heart, A will inflexible"

TIM MOORE Philadelphia, Pennsylvania "He'll spread his name throughout the world"

JAMES MEYERS Indianapolis, Indiana "A good man is better than anything else"

DON McCready Butte, Montana "We find life exactly what we put into it"

LILA TEXAS NICHOLSON Austin, Texas "In quietness and confidence lies her strength"

GERTRUDE PAULINE PICK Chicago, Illinois "My troubles are like bubbles"

CORNELIA ELIZABETH NORDYKE Paterson, New Jersey "Her constant smile makes others happy"

PHYLLIS PELTON

Wichita, Kansas

"Laughing, talking, and full of fun"

JOANNE PUFFER Indianapolis, Indiana

"How sad, and bad, and mad she was," But then, how she was sweet"

> ANITA PECHTER New York City

"Life, I know not what thou art, I only know I love thee"

NANCY ELLEN QUIGLEY
Baltimore, Maryland
"Gaiety, thou art mine"

MELVIN RICHARDSON

Jacksonville, Florida

"With a little help he can
manage the world"

LUCINDA RANKIN REDWINE Indianapolis, Indiana

"The reason for her many friends was that she was one"

> JACK RUBIN Cocoa, Florida

"His life was gentle, and the elements so mixed in him, That Nature might stand up and say to all the world, "This is a man""















MILTON POLLIN
New York City
"Still waters run deep"

ALICE M. PRESS

New York City

"She maketh exquisite music"

JUDITH ROBBINS

New York City
"So loving and so lovely"

Marshall Rosenberg
Chicago, Illinois
"He's the acme of things
accomplished"

JEAN CHRISTIAN ROBERTS
Richmond, Virginia
"Gently comes the world
to those
Better cast in gentle
moulds"

Norbert Robbins
New York City
"Seldom heard but always
alert"

ELEANOR ROWE

Patterson, New Jersey

"A soul of power, a well
of lofty thought"

TRUDY SATIN

Utica, New York

"A good companion and a rustworthy person"

Eugene Rosenberg Flint, Michigan

"A friend may be reckoned the masterpiece of art"

JEANNE ELSVE RODGERS
Springfield, Ohio
"Rare is the union of beauty
and virtue"

STANLEY RATNER Cleveland, Ohio

"This man's worth is not hard to see, Few work so well or show such worth as he"

> MURIEL SAWITZ New York City

"Sweet tempered and one of gentle mood"

JEAN STRATTON
Asheville, North Carolina
"Blithe of heart was she"

LEE SILVER
Salt Lake City, Utah

"He that does good to another, does good to himself"



ROBERT RIDDLEBERGER

Canton, Ohio

"His smile is sweetened by

his gravity"

SANFORD RISSMAN
Chicago, Illinois
"A good and just man"

SHIRLEY SHAPIRO
Philadelphia, Pennsylvania
"In her tongue is the law
of kindness"

IRMA SALLY SILVERSTEIN
Brooklyn, New York
"Something more than a
melody
Dwells ever in her
words"

ELEANORE SKLAR
Brooklyn, New York
"With charity for all"

Pegge Schiffman
Brooklyn, New York
"Her ways are ways of
pleasantness"

ELAINE SINGER
Bronx, New York
"With sweetness fresh as
any rose"

Albert Smallwood
New York City
"Men, like bullets, go farthest
when polished"

VIVIAN SCHIFFER

Bronx, New York

"Blessed are the pure
in heart"

PEGGY ANNE SPORBORG
Chicago, Illinois
"High erected thoughts seated in the heart of courtesy"

HELEN SWETNICK
New York City
"Good humor is the sunshine
of the mind"

GORDON STARK
Woodhaven, Long Island
"Let us, then, be up and doing"

Bert Merrill Suben
Brooklyn, New York
"A wise man never loses anything if he has himself"

Albert Solo
Philadelphia, Pennsylvania
"For every why he had a wherefore"



JOAN SAUNDERS
Oxford, Ohio
A merry heart maketh a
cheerful countenance"

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FRANCES SONNEBORN

Utica, New York

"Exuberance and beauty"

man hunter

VIRGINIA BELLE SIMMONS

Cleveland, Ohio

"There are smiles that make us happy"

Bernard Silverstein
Philadelphia, Pennsylvania
"None but himself can
be his parallel"

Morris Sokoloff
Newark, New Jersey
"Calm, serene was he,
But more of a gentleman,
I never did see"

RENE SEILER
Kansas City, Missouri
"To do and to do well"

IRWIN SUBERMAN

New York City

"The most manifest sign of wisdom is continued cheerfulness"

ESTELLE SCHIFFMAN
New York City
"Silence in woman is like speech in man"

BETTY TAYLOR
Yonkers, New York
"She leads a life of bright,
melodious days"

ANNE THATCHER

Philadelphia, Pennsylvania

"And for they looked but with divining eyes,

They had not skill enough your worth to sing"

EDNA TRACHTENBERG

New York City

"A frank, engaging smile betrays the calm and quiet of her ways"

Jane Miako Tashiro Miami, Florida "Modesty is thy torch"

LILLIAN WEINSTEIN
New York City
"A loyal friend—eager
and true"

JOANNE WEBER
Miami, Florida
"Good things come in small packages"



GEORGE SIMON
New York City
"A merry heart is a good
medicine"

EVELYN TERRY
Chicago, Illinois
"A cheery word, a greeting all the while"

MERVYN THAL
Philadelphia, Pennsylvania
"Cares are not my friends"

MARJORIE TILNEY
Hoboken, New Jersey
"Such sweet shyness takes
the heart"

Bertha Joan Wechsler
New York City
"A true friend is a friend
forever"

MILDRED TELLER
Patterson, New Jersey
"And those that are good shall be happy"

JACK WELLS
Grand Rapids, Michigan
"It matters not how long we live, but how"

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New Rochelle, New York
"A good heart is better than

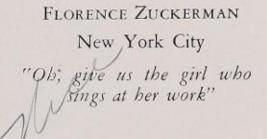
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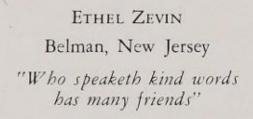


JEAN SHIRLEY WINTER
Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania
"Quiet and likeable"

WILLIS WILCOX
Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania
'It's not whether we win
or lose,'
It's how we play the
game''











HARRIET WEINTRAUB

New York City

"What sweet delight a quiet
life affords"

Those Not Pictured

GLORIA BERGMAN

JOEL COHEN

JOSEPH COLLINS

ROSLYN FULLER

JERRY HENKEL

KENNETH IRVING

ELY KAUFMAN

MILLICENT LIEBOWITZ

NORMAN MADAN

ROSLYN BERNSTEIN

OTIS MICKLEBERRY
SHIRLEE PARMET
STUART ROSENCRANS
JACK RUBIN
EDYTHE SHAPIRO
SAM SPROVERO

H. D. STILES
JAMES STRATTON
RAY TURNBULL

RAY TURNBULI RITA TEPPER

Reprimand

That reprimand was like a fire—
Burning, burning—higher, higher;
Like snapping wood, it broke my heart—
Cut it, ruined it, tore it apart.
A fire can last for but a day—
That reprimand will ever stay.

I had reached the top I was tired and ill But no matter. I had climbed to the highest pinnacle My work was done. I held the paper, a life— My masterpiece. A few words only, but it was mine My pen had served me well I wanted no more. My hand was unsteady, limp But no matter. I was standing on top. The top—the top— The top? The top? What is it I say? I know now, it was only a dream. Still I have reached no more Than the lowest rung. Just these poor words-No more-no less-

I know now—only a dream.

Oh God, do dreams ever come true?

What Magic

You once brought tears into my heart, And your gift was joy today. What is this magic you possess, To give what I've tried to say?

You brought a smile into my heart In your gift of joy today. My heart knows what this magic is, For you give what words can't say.

Let Not Curses

When he says, "I know all,"
Let not curses be placed upon him.
When he says, "I know all"
His soul is dead—
Curses cannot penetrate.

Poems by ANNE THATCHER

Presenting · · ·



Activities

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Vice President

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Corresponding Secretary

Treasurer



Laura Dozier



Phyllis Kruger



Elizabeth Lewis Jeanne Rodgers



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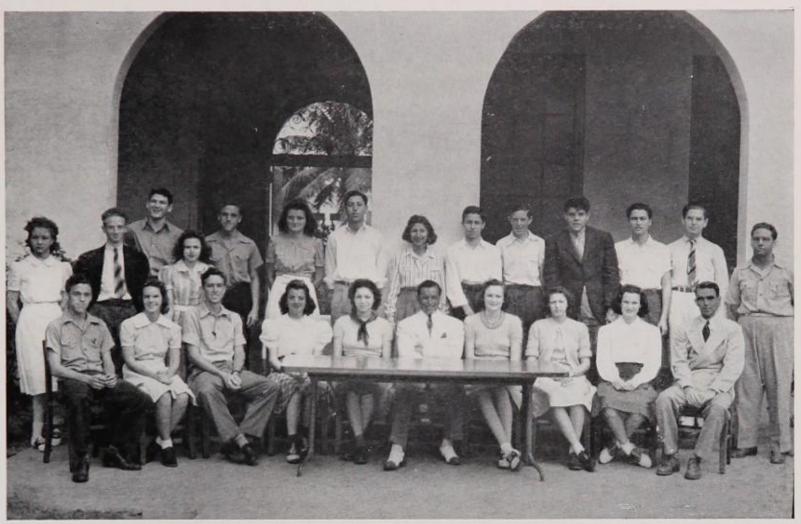


Janet Cole



Jeanne Rodgers

The Senior High Student Council



It is a source of pride to all of us that our student body is considered capable of maintaining self government. The Student Council, including representatives from each homeroom, five executive officers, and the president's cabinet, directly supervises and administers school affairs. This year the Council's greatest undertaking was the publishing of our first student guidebook, "The Gold Book". Other projects were the sponsoring of afternoon and evening dances, the maintenance of a Lost and Found Department, and the daily publication of a bulletin containing notices of importance and interest of school events. Through its success in every undertaking the Council has become one of our outstanding school organizations.



Mr. C'arke, Sponsor



The Junior High Student Council





Many and varied have been the accomplishments of the Ida M. Fisher Junior High School Student Council this year. Several of their activities were: assistance of the Senior Council in the publication of the "Gold Book", participation in a radio broadcast, revision of the junior high constitution, and their outstanding contribution in bringing to realization the Daddy Bowes Patio.

MISS DAHLQUIST, Sponsor



The National Honor Society



Anne Thatcher President, First Semester



Miss Boyd Sponsor



Miss Ellis Sponsor



Tim Moore President, Second Semester

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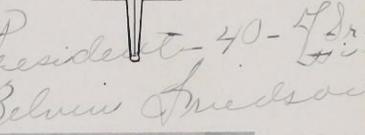
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"Noblesse Oblige"







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PERRY COHEN

JAMES COSPER

HOWARD DAVIS

HARRY DRURY

JACK FARLEY

BELVIN FRIEDSON

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The "B" Club is exclusively the lettermen's club of Miami Beach Senior High. Its members must have earned a letter in some recognized school sport. The "B" Club strives to promote better sportsmanship and friendship among members of the student body. The club's largest affair is the annual Father-and-Son's Banquet. This year the club sponsored several dances. It also awarded gold footballs to the graduating football players and to Coaches Bill Harkness and Bob Wilson.

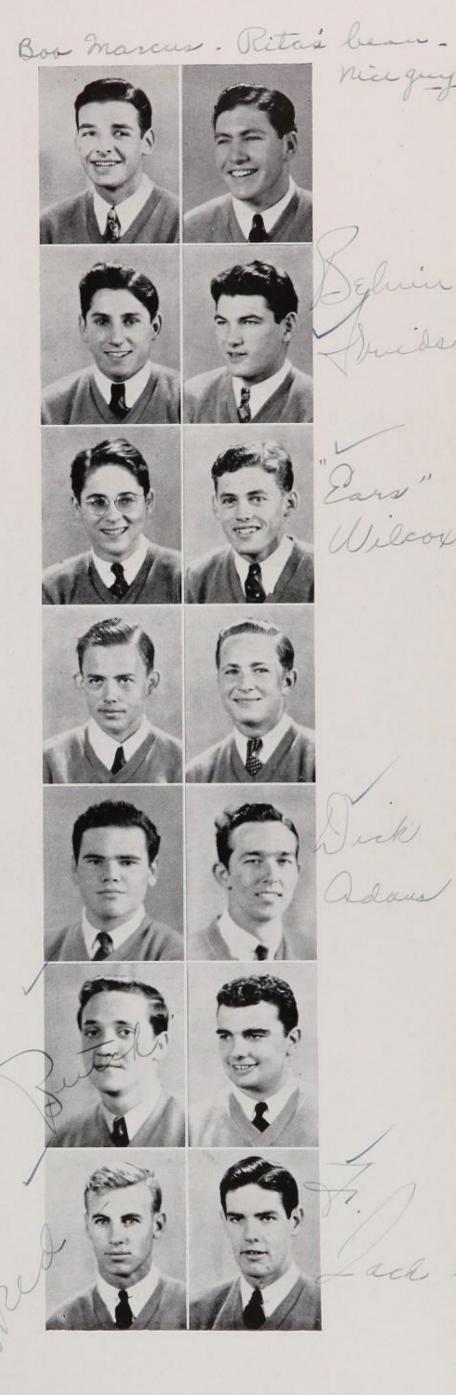
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BUTCH LACER
BILL LEAVITT
BOB MARCUS
DON MCCREADY
HUBERT SAAL
BILL SCHIFF
GORDON STARK
MERVYN THAL
ROY TINDLER
MILTON WEINKLE
BILL WILCOX



MR. GRAU, Sponsor



Pan American Club



ALICE BAGBY
President

MRS. WARE Sponsor



ARNOLD GOODHART
Vice President



Miss Pan America

MARJORY FISHER

Events sponsored by the club this year were the Pan American Museum at the Junior Carnival, the Pan American Day Assembly, the introduction of Latin-American songs into the classes, and a short wave broadcast on Nicaragua, which was heard throughout South America. Bill Booth and Jacqueline Edgar represented the school in the state declamation contest. Alice Bagby won the Pan American Club Medal for her work this year.



Introducing -



JANET COLE The 1940 Miss French Club

OFFICERS

President FRANK BERLING

Vice-president FLORAN FRIEDMAN

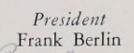
Secretary RITA SCHOENFELD

Treasurer BEULAH SPITZ

Cercle Français

"Aucun chemin de fleurs ne conduit a la gloire!"

The French Club's activities this year have included the sponsoring of a French motion picture, "Grand Illusion;" cooperating with the International Relations Club of the University of Miami in the bringing of some all-French films to Miami; several dances for department members in the Memorial Patio; a beach party and picnic; the purchasing of an excellent RCA victrola and of many records of French artists. The club also presented a large number of books to the French department's shelves in the school library.



Sponsor Mrs. Brown







Latin Club



Choral Club



Girl Reserves



Radio Club







CHARTER MEMBERS

National Thespian Dramatic Honor Society



THE SOCIETY TODAY

Thespian Society—Forensic League



MISS MURIEL MAHONEY, Sponsor

TWO new organizations to make their first appearance in our school this year were the National Thespian Dramatic Society and the National Forensic League.

The Thespian Society was formed for the purpose of encouraging interest and participation in high school dramatics. Members are invited to join on a basis of their former participation in dramatic work in the school. During the first semester the group presented a one-act comedy, "The Nine Lives of Emily". They also sponsored and assisted the productions for the dramatics department. In April the Society's first annual banquet was held and new members who had qualified during the year were initiated.

The National Forensic League is a high school honor society for the purpose of stimulating interest in debate and oratory by offering definite and suitable rewards for successful participation in those activities.

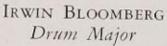
Charter membership in our school was composed of debaters who were runners-up in the state contest last year. Membership is on a point basis and only inter-scholastic participation is considered. This year the League competed successfully with eight South Florida teams. In May they debated here with a team from the Lanier High School of Macon, Georgia. The League has greatly encouraged more students to take up this valuable training in effective speech.

Both organizations show great promise of continued achievements under the capable guidance of their sponsor, Miss Muriel Mahoney.



Our Orchestra and Band out

Rob Rocke





Mr. Felix McKernon Conductor



RENE SEILER Outstanding Senior Award

MONG the most active and hardest working organizations in our school is the Miami Beach High School Band, directed by Mr. Felix McKernon. This band has, through its numerous appearances at both school and local functions, earned the praise of many nationally famed bandsmen. Both as a peppy drilling squad and technically skilled playing unit, this organization has wholeheartedly supported all school affairs and athletic encounters. The Beach band, which has in three years through the direction of Mr. McKernon progressed from a small unit to a sixty-five piece fully instrumented symphonic band, was awarded perfect ratings this year in the Florida State and the National Regional Band contests. The Beach aggregation received First Division in drilling, sight reading, and concert upon which the judging for this competition is based. Our band was selected to play for Mrs. Roosevelt during her guest appearance in Miami this year. Pictured below are the first place winners in the state contest.

HARRISON WADSWORTH SOL BLUMENKRANZ

DONALD YAXLEY BENJAMIN COLLINS



HAROLD LOBREE

GERALD WOLF

GEORGE SELTZER PHILIP GALLAGHER



Also directed by Mr. McKernon is the school orchestra which furnishes entertainment for assembly programs, P. T. A. meetings, and various major school activities such as the coronation ceremony of the carnival and June graduation exercises.

Several members of both organizations participated in the All-City Band and Orchestral Program held in Bayfront Park during May of this year.



Dramatic Department

A GAIN the dramatics department draws the curtain on a banner year.

Everything from Shakespeare to blackface was attempted—and very successfully, too—by this year's dramatics department, under the direction of Miss Muriel Mahoney.

"As You Like It", Miami Beach High School's first venture into the classics, was presented twice to the junior and senior high student bodies in March. The response to this venture was amazing. Three successful performances of the annual minstrel show were given in December—and the funny men were funnier than ever.

The first long play, produced in November, was "New Fires", a three-act comedy. A capacity house thoroughly enjoyed this performance.

The senior class play, the smash broadway hit of a few years ago, "What A Life", was the final full evening's entertainment for the departmental year.

The presentation of a large number of one-act plays gave every student in the department an opportunity to appear behind the footlights. These plays included 'His First Shave'', "The Fourteenth Guest'', "Three Taps On the Wall'', "The Nine Lives of Emily" (a presentation by the Thespian Club), "Grandma Pulls the String'', "In the Spring a Young Man's Fancy'', "The Flattering Word'', and "On the Air".



"NEW FIRES"

Theaded for Education



SHAKESPEARE'S "AS YOU LIKE IT"

This year's dramatic season has been unusually good with the presentation of an excellent group of plays. The dramatics department has made great strides, and it gives great promise of continuing in its present path.



"WHAT A LIFE"

The Library Assistants



Containing approximately 6,000 volumes, the Miami Beach High School library serves an average of 650 students a day. In this, the center of all research work, book reporting, and pleasure reading, members of the student-body daily assist with clerical and shelving duties. A branch is maintained in the junior high study hall for seventh and eighth grades. The most used establishment in school, our library, is a source of constant enjoyment to the entire student body and faculty.



The Home Economics Department



The Handicraft Club





AUDREY HIRSCH



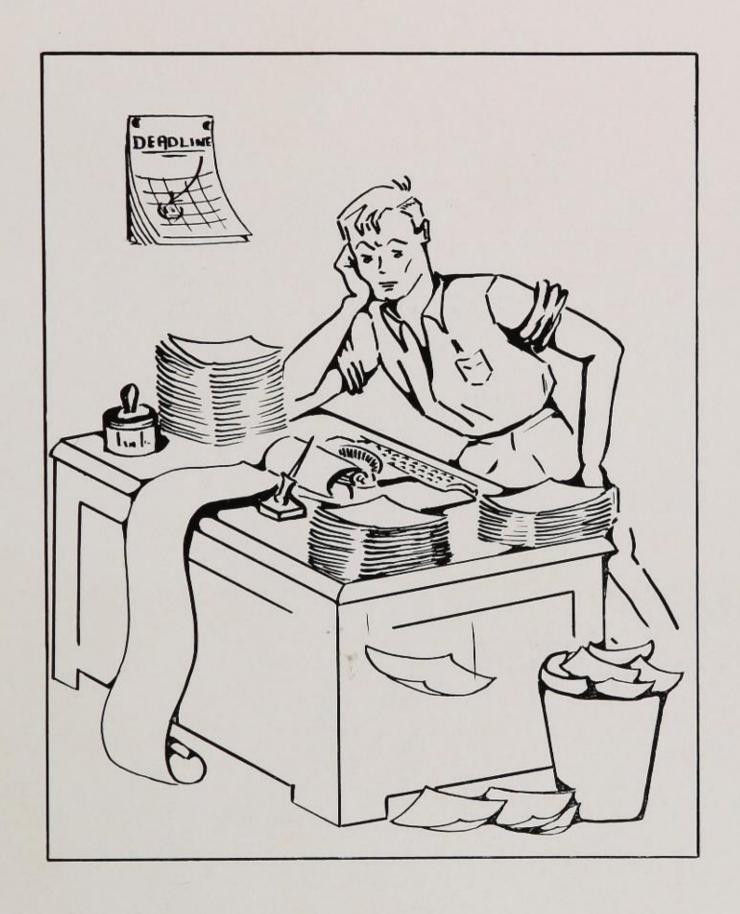
Lost and Found Department

One of the newest and most useful innovations in the school is the Lost and Found Department. The little room, sandwiched between the first floor stairway and the main office, houses lost and found articles ranging anywhere from pencils to raincoats. It is efficiently superintended by Audrey Hirsch, who has devoted much time and effort to making this project a success. The department is open for business during lunch, and before and after school.

Safety Patrol



Presenting · · ·



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The BEACH BREEZE

SEE THE PLAY

Wilcox Will Portray

Typical Student In

Comedy

2 PERFORMANCES

Tickets Go On Sale

Through Business

Department

"What a Life," the well-known Broodway aprecise by Chifford Goldegrith, have been chosen as the

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By MARSHALL RUBLINGERS

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At Patio Dance





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Janet Cole Elected "Miss French Club"



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"What A Life" Chosen Senior Class Offering

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Marshall Rosenberg, Anne Thatcher, Miss Pettit, Betty Battle. Marion Barbour, Evelyn Belov, Lila Greenspan, James Cosper, Beatrice Mellicker, Vivian Schiffer, Peggy Sporborg, Nette Sutton.

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After You Come From the Show This Is the Place



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"America"

America, my hopes for you Are built on simple things; A shining faith—and Honor true— And Fellowship of man that springs From zealous love our fathers knew.

Let us keep faith with those who left
Their homelands far or near;
For Liberty's sweet right they cleft
All ties to pioneer;
Their bright ideals are tarnished black,
Covered with grime and dust.
Oh, let us put that lustre back
With old time faith and trust!

May selfless love live in the hearts
Of all our fellowmen;
May we give labor, means, and arts
To build a better land . . . and then:
Let us wipe out the dreadful slums
That lie upon your face,
And build clean, happy healthful homes
Of stone to take their place.

Down with war and destruction, Down with corruption, too! I do not want the horrors of war To wreck and ruin you!

Oh, let us walk on roads that lead to peace, And old ideals renew.
God give us strength to never cease
Until this job we do!

I also hope the years to come Bring greater unity— More factories where motors' hum Increase men's loyalty.

I wish you, too, my own dear land, Exalted rank and fame, Successes great and wealth in hand Add glory to your name.

But let this be, dear land of mine, A sanctuary too, A place of refuge and a shrine For all who come to you.

As it take pennies to make a dollar, It takes these little things To build a nation great and strong, A land where "FREEDOM RINGS!"

MARY ELIZABETH TREPTE

The Unbearable Night

Darkness descends like a bomb—swiftly and without warning—shattering the brightness of day,

Evening flies by—unnoticed 'til gone—yet the darkness of night stays on.

Bedtime approaches, once welcome—once
—yet I linger, unwilling to approach
it, afraid;

But drowsiness drags me beneath warm, warm covers—which keep out the cold of the night, and imprison the warmth of me—my body—or is it the warmth of my heart?

Sleep—oh, pleasant sleep disdains me, comes not to my bed—my warm, warm bed, tempts me—but keeps me aware of the movements about me.

Cruel sleep, yes! But still so pleasant, I yearn for your comfort—but still you elude me.

Thoughts soon shall enter my yearning mind, to aid cruel sleep in her terrible teasings—many, too many thoughts...

The night passes on, slowly, gradually onward—creeping and stumbling,

And dawn's gentle rays close my dim eyes in slumber — gentle rays of dawn which I awaited, alone.

"Sleep not." Nay, sleep was denied me. Yet Dawn gave me slumber—slumber at last, after darkness was gone.

BERNICE MILLER, 11B2

"One Day of Freedom"

If all the children had one day
To banish rule and have their way,
Each carefree, naughty child
Would have the joy of running wild.

Oh, what a sight the school would be With all the children being free To break the windows, slam the doors, And slide upon the slippery floors.

They'd fool the teachers every one And laugh and talk and race and run. And if the teacher said, "Be quiet," They'd all rebel and start a riot.

They'd swarm the streets and raid the town, And turn the city upside down; But when that day does REALLY dawn, I'm sure we'll all be—dead and gone!

MARY ELIZABETH TREPTE

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The Athletic Council



To the moral and financial support of the athletic council may be traced our many successful athletic campaigns. Supervising all athletics, this group controls every phase of our sports department, such as scheduling of games, determining eligibility, awarding letters, and handling of special awards. The council is composed of the entire coaching staff, several other members of the faculty, and a representative of our student body.

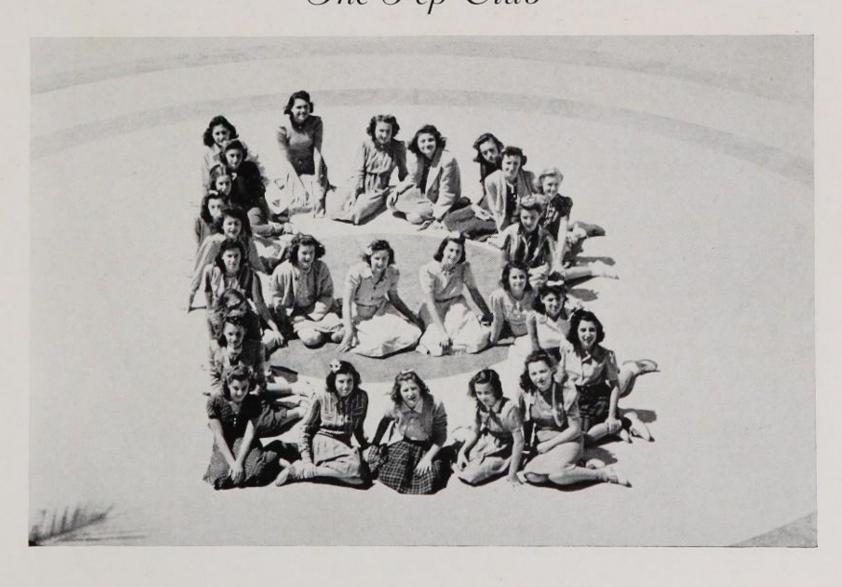
This organization, which year after year has sponsored championship teams in football, basketball, tennis, golf, and swimming, deserves much credit for maintaining the high standards for which Miami Beach High School athletics are known.

The Cheerleaders



The Pep Club

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Girls' Physical Education Program



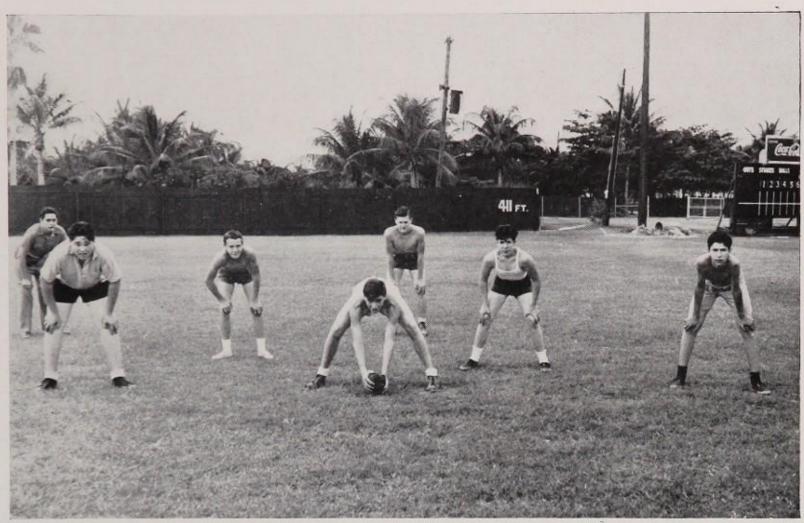


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Maintenance of high health standards, encouragement of initiative, leadership, good sportsmanship, and emphasis of social advantages are the principle aims advanced by the Girls' Physical Education Department through teaching the elements of sports. The program is outlined to give all girls participating excellent experience in every sport. Emphasis is placed upon the future of this practical knowledge in the sport field.



Boys' Physical Education Program



The boys' physical education classes directed by Coach Erwin Grau are primarily for the purpose of developing the body, athletic ability, and good sportsmanship. The boys alternate with the girls in the use of the gymnasium where they follow both a formal and an informal program. Out-of-doors highly organized sports such as touch football, softball, and soccer are played.



Mr. Grau, Sponsor



Time and the Typhoons march on!

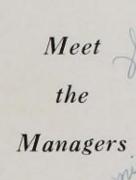




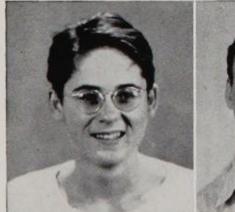
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Football Managers

To acquaint you with these hard-working fellows, we introduce to you the managers of the football team. Few people appreciate the work of these boys in taking care of the enormous amount of equipment used by the squad. Their work includes outfitting the team, giving out and putting away the equipment each day, stenciling numbers, attending to the mending and laundering of uniforms, and many other duties. We sincerely believe that they merit this introduction.

Manager Lucinda Redwine, and No. 1 player Nellie Sheer.

Girls' Jennis Jeam

THE Miami Beach High School Girls' Tennis Team has been state champion as well as Southeast Florida High School champions for the past three consecutive years, 1937, 1938, and 1939, and is well on its way towards the 1940 titles in both of these same divisions with an undefeated record so far this season.

Coached by Bill Rice, tennis professional at Flamingo Park, these girls start practicing in early October twice each week until the Southeast Florida High School League opens play the second semester. Then only one practice is held each week and matches are played once each week. The squad has been particularly hard-working this year as only one regular member of the 1939 team was still on the squad and yet these girls are "tops" again.

Outstanding on the team is the number one player, Nellie Sheer, who this

year after a hard campaign in the north and east during the past summer, was ranked fourth in the United States for girls of 18 years of age and under. Nellie has held the state high school singles' championship for three years and hopes to repeat her performance again this year. A special word should be said for the excellent work that has been done by Lucinda Redwine as manager of the team. She has handled this position as it should be handled and those directing athletic activities appreciate her good-natured and business-like co-operation.





No. 1 Player Jack Blair, Coach White, and Manager Jim Burgner

Boys' Jennis Jeam

Our tennis team under Coach White can be depended upon to excel in all competition and make us proud of them. This year's team has been no exception.

With three lettermen and a few more boys, Coach White succeeded in developing a team that is considered one of the strongest in the state.

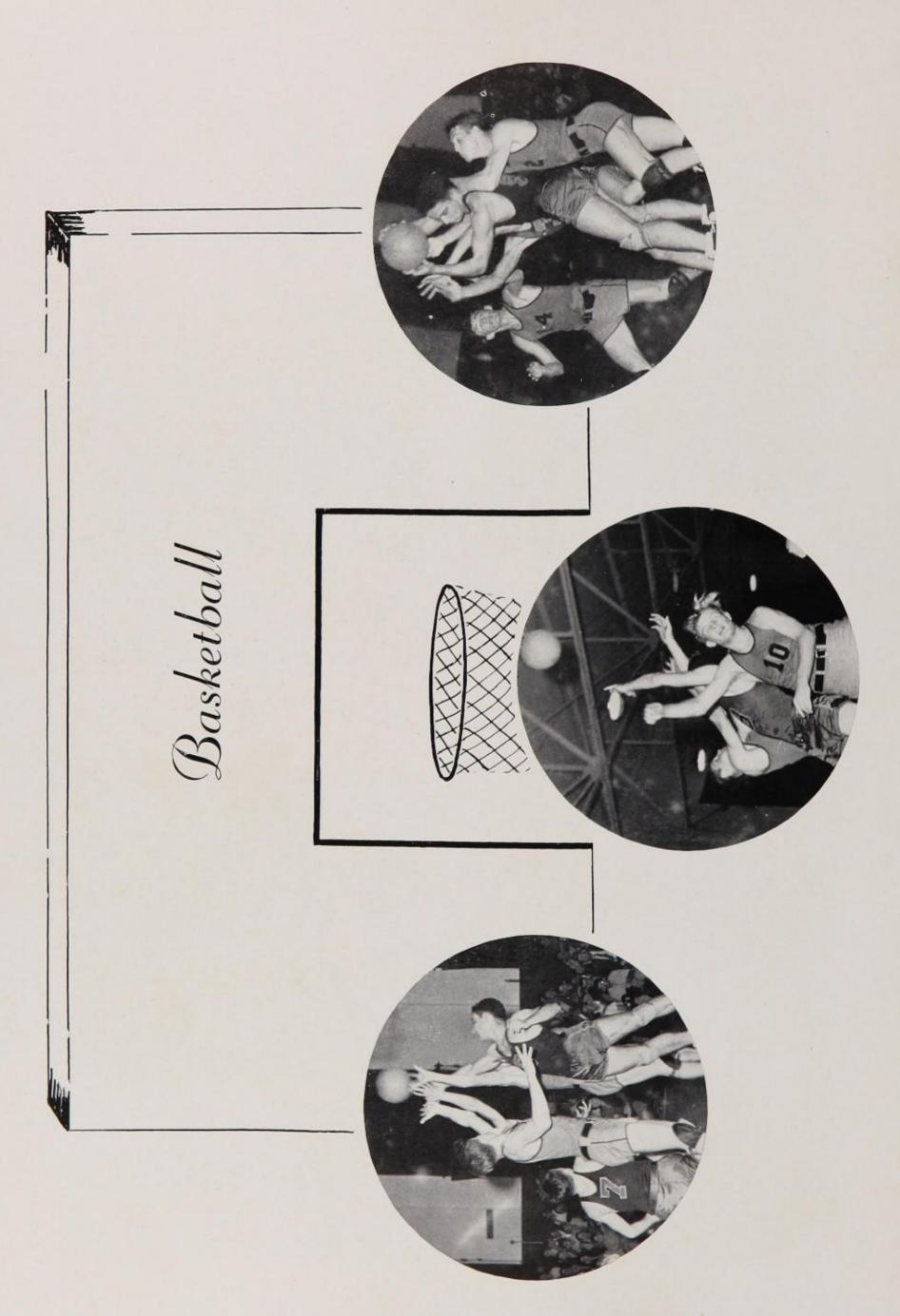
The Typhoon racket wielders won five of the seven matches played, losing to Fort Lauderdale for the first time in seven years and to the powerful state championship West Palm Beach aggregation.

At the state tournament in Orlando the players put up a gallant fight but failed to capture the state championship which Miami Beach tennis teams have won for the past three years.

In this tournament Jack Blair and Eugene Rosenberg lost to Blake and Hendry of Hillsborough, the runners up in the doubles play. Jack Blair lost a grinding four hour match with Bud Hart of Gesu in the finals of the singles matches. This was the longest contest in the history of the state tournament.

The coaching abiliy of Mr. White and the popularity of tennis among the students are the reasons for our school's success in this sport.





Coach MqGuire

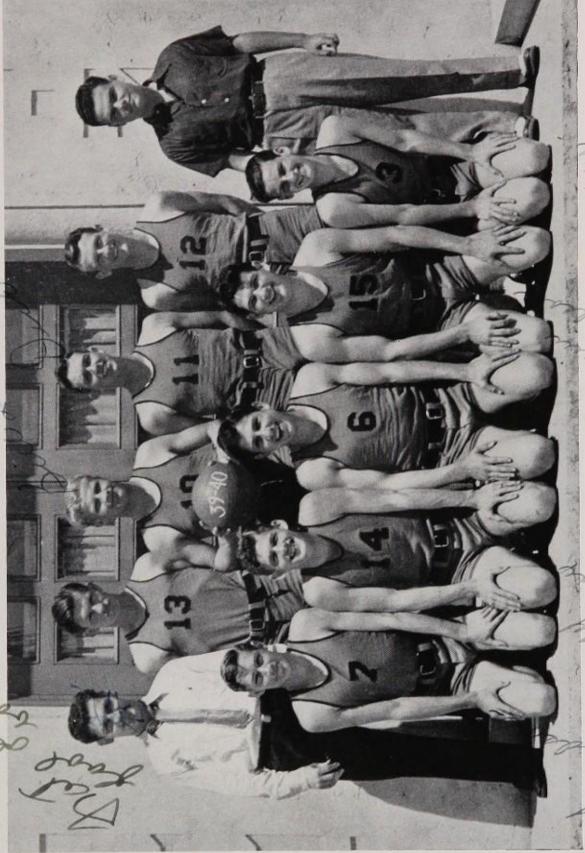
Varsity Basketball

an admirable season, winning eleven and losing thirteen of the twenty-four games played. This record is not as outstanding as some previous years' showing, but next year's regulars obtained valu-Coach McGuire's 1939 basketball team, handicapped by inexperience and sickness, played through able experience which will improve their performance materially next season.

The varsity squad traveled on two road trips; one to Jacksonville where they played the various schools in that city and another to Orlando for the state toyrnament. In this tournament the boys defeated the Bolle's School of Jacksonville in the first round, but were eliminated by Leon of Tallahassee in the second game. Second Row—
COACH MCGUIRE
JACK BLAIR
BILL LEAVITT
DICK ADAMS
GORDON STARK

ED CHENTOFF,

Manager



First Row-

KENNY DAVIDSON
BILL WILCOX
ROY TINDLER
BELVIN FRIEDSON

ELLIS MARKS



Junior High Basketball

WINNING 9 games and losing 2, this year's Junior High basketball team has one of the best records of all Junior High teams that have ever represented Ida M. Fisher. This team showed itself to be one of the most cooperative and loyal teams in several years and many of the boys are expected to make a strong

bid for the Senior High varsity next year. Outstanding among these are Bob Leavitt, George Hunde, James Snedigar and Bernard Moses.

The primary objective of the Junior High Team is the development of good players to replace graduating seniors on the varsity squad. Basketball is a highly skilled game and requires much practice and training on the part of the players. Therefore the coaches endeavor to give their future stars early experience in the game.



The Golf Jeam

GOLF is rapidly coming into prominence in the school's sports curriculum. This sport, coached by Mr. Francis Livermore, has done remarkably well well during its opening years.

This season the team completed a very successful program winning the six conference matches that it played. The Typhoons were beaten in two non-league contests, but their losses were avenged in return matches.

At Miami Springs the players established themselves as champions of the South East Conference in a final match with Ponce de Leon.



TIM MOORE 1940 South East Conference Champion

Tim Moore and Sanford Rissman played together at Orlando to win the state team title for Miami Beach.



Swimming Jeam



1935 Senior National Outdoor Diving Champion

Mary Hoerger

THE girls' swimming team, organized in 1936, has met a growing demand in the state and in this school for such a sport. The girls practice at the Deauville pool, and are coached by Mr. Bob Wilson.

The team has had four very successful seasons. This year at the state swimming meet, held in St. Petersburg on April 27, these girls won the state championship for the fourth consecutive year. Cold weather this year prevented the state schools from holding the many local swimming contests they had planned.

These girls, pictured below, deserve a lot of credit for their excellent work. They are Mary Hoerger, Ruth Hoerger, Celia Mangels, and Joanne Puffer. Mary, outstanding for her diving ability, is pictured above in one of her famous dives.



Riding Club



Winner of First Place in the Advanced Competition in the Miami Horse Show

DOROTHY LEWIS

Although this is only the third year that horseback riding has been included in our intramural program, it has rapidly risen to the ranks of one of the most popular sports in both the senior and junior high schools.

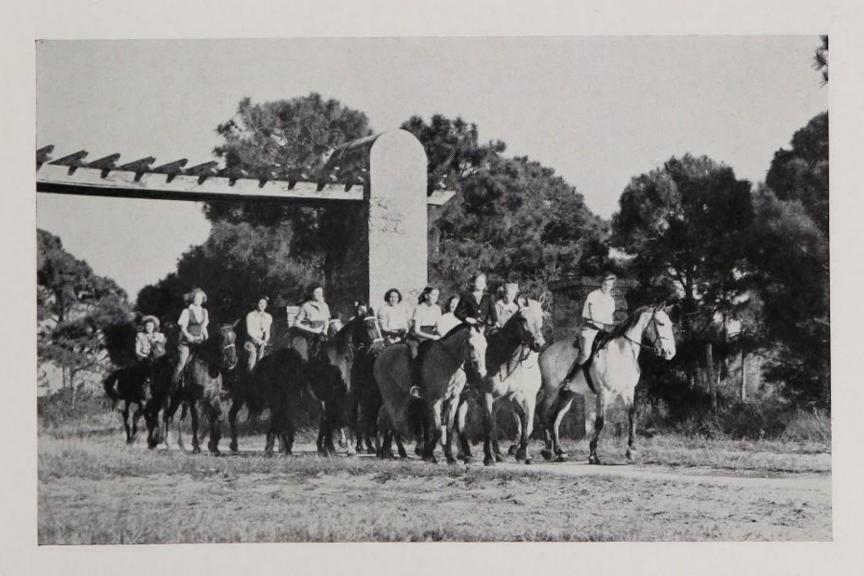
Over one hundred girls, who ride two afternoons a week, are members of the Riding

Club. Two riding academies are required to provide the demand for horses.

The horsemanship of the girls has so improved that it is increasingly difficult to

choose those who will compete in the annual horse show to be held in May.

This year Dorothy Lewis, pictured above, won the advanced riding competition and the Beach girls tied with Miami Edison Senior High School for the trophy.



Girls Intra-Murals



Boys' Swimming Jeam



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The Last Will and Testament

We, the Senior Class of 1940, having been found of sound mind, of retentive memory, with the exception of matters directly concerning school and the activities connected therewith, and otherwise totally balanced physically and mentally and considering the uncertainty of our future existence on this earth do therefore make, ordain, publish, and declare this to be our last Will and Testament—that is to say:

- I, MURREL KASTAN, do hereby will and bequeath my ability to sit on the bench to Ed Feinstein.
- 1, WILLIAM HIBEL, do hereby will and bequeath my geometry compass to someone with a pencil to fit it.
- I, LITA ARONOVITZ, do hereby will and bequeath to any junior my seat in Miss Roberts' English class
- I, ELLIS MARKS, do hereby will and bequeath my ability to score points in the state basketball tournament to Kenny Davidson.
- I, ALBERT DAVIDSON, do hereby will and bequeath to Miami Beach High School all my memories of its beauty and splendor.
- I, ALBERT SOLO, do hereby will and bequeath my commercial law marks to any poor sophomore who wants to spend the rest of his life learning the difference between law and the right thing.
- I, FRED FEINBERG, do hereby will and bequeath my ability to hand homework in late without getting my grade cut to some lazy junior who will need it.
- I, SHIRLEY GORDON, do hereby will and bequeath my gift for getting caught doing the wrong thing at the wrong time to someone who can do it at the right time.
- I, FLORENCE ZUCKERMAN, do hereby will and bequeath my "good luck" to Phyllis Wolfson with hopes that she will do better with it than I did.
- I, JIM MEYER, do hereby will and bequeath my ability to stay out of school to Elsa Kennon although she doesn't need it.
- I, MERVYN THAL, do hereby will and bequeath my soapbox to Miss Roberts so her pupils in the back of the room can see her rave.
- I, JACK RUBIN, do hereby will and bequeath my big brown eyes to Aunt Pittypat Roberts.
- I, PHYLLIS HERTZMAN, do hereby will and bequeath my money making annual position to my sister Ruth.
- I, JEAN ROBERTS, do hereby will and bequeath to any fun loving junior my ability to get by without homework.
- I, CORNELIA NORDYKE, do hereby will and bequeath my cheer leading ability to my younger sister Blanche.
- I, SIG DRURY, do hereby will and bequeath my ability to get out of school third and seventh period to anyone who can find some place to go.
- I, FRANCIS JACK, do hereby will and bequeath my ability to stay nineteen years old for three years to Fred James. He will need it if he keeps up.
- I, JEANNE GARRARD, do hereby will and bequeath my ability to get into trouble to Mollye Wilson and my ability to order Wilcox around to anyone who con do it without a script.

- I, DOROTHY WOLLNER, do hereby will and bequeath my ability to talk in study hall and get away with it to any junior that likes to talk.
- I, NORMA CLAUS, do hereby will and bequeath to any ambitious underclassmate my civics book, if he can find it. I haven't been able to do so.
- I, ANITA ALTER, do hereby will and bequeath my knitting ability to any junior who wants to fiddle away her time in class, yet accomplish something.
- I, BETTY TAYLOR, do hereby will and bequeath my rabbit's foot "Little Willie" to June Lundberg to carry to all football and basketall games.
- I, DORIS JEAN MACINTOSH, do hereby will and bequeath my ability to be quiet under certain circumstances to any junior who finds his loquaciousness a burden to the teachers.
- I, PEGGY SCHIFFMAN, do hereby will and bequeath my ability to get caught chewing gum in Mr. McGuire's class to anyone who's been lucky enough to get away with it all these years.
- I, MURIEL SAWITZ, do hereby will and bequeath to Ruth Hirsch, my best friend, the grand times that I had in my senior year.
- I, ELEANORE SKLAR, do hereby will and bequeath to Margorie Brandfon my ability to take things seriously and to Hilda Ratner my musical ability.
- I, JOAN SAUNDERS, do hereby will and bequeath my blushing ability in Mr. McGuire's class to Grace Walton who does all right for herself.
- I, NANCY QUIGLEY, do hereby will and bequeath my ability to get a part in the senior class play to Bill Stubbs.
- I, MARGUERITE BOURBON, do herey will and bequeath to John Mitchell my ability to keep my weight under a hundred pounds.
- I, BILL COHEN, do hereby will and bequeath my red hair to any coming senior who wishes to stand out in a crowd.
- I, LAURA DOZIER, do hereby will and bequeath my love of knitting to Dorothy Lewis who doesn't seem to go for that sort of thing.
- I, BETTE LIEBLING, do hereby will and bequeath my curly brown hair to Debby Rabinowitz who sees to be doing all right herself.
- I, RALPH NEWMAN, do hereby will and bequeath the expense and woes of "Henry" to the next goof who unwittingly buys a Ford.
- I, RUTH KATZ, do hereby will and bequeath my 'Golden Silence' to Debby Rabinowitz.
- I, FLORAN FRIEDMAN, do hereby will and bequeath "Les Miserables" to Mrs. Grace Du Pre Brown in the firm hope that she will be able to translate it.
- I, TIM MOORE, do hereby will and bequeath to my kid brother, Bob, all the homework that Miss Roberts can possibly give, for I am sure that he won't do it.
- I, LEE SILVER, do hereby will and bequeath my body to the science department in the hope that the science teachers will have as much fun in taking me apart when I am dead as they did when I was alive.
 - I, MARVIN KRANZ, do hereby will and bequeath an unpaid ticket to Peru and back to Mrs. Ware.
 - I, LEWIS ALBERTS, do hereby will and bequeath the hair on my chest to Billy Kelly.

- I, BERT SMALLWOOD, do hereby will and bequeath my high 90s to Jeff Ford for next year's golf team.
- I, MERTON GETTIS, do hereby will and bequeath the hope and wish to Lenny Drillich that he may graduate with the next ten years.
- I, ANNE THATCHER, do hereby will and bequeath my worried expression to anyone who may desire a few words of inquiring interest from members of the faculty.
- I, LLOYD GARDNER, do hereby will and bequeath Mr. Menneken's tallness to Miss (Coach) Roberts shortness in the hope that some day Mr. Menneken will grow short so I won't have to look up to him and Miss Roberts tall so I won't have to look down to her.
- I, RUTH ALPERT, do hereby will and bequeath my height to Miss Roberts for further facility in answering the telephone in her room.
- I, LEONARD GLASSER, do hereby will and bequeath my love and devotion to all the pretty girls in the school.
- I, PEGGY SPORBORG, do hereby will and bequeath a noiseless typewriter to Madame Brown, for use during music appreciation programs.
- I, BETTE HANSON, do hereby will and bequeath my ability to get into hot water to Marie Merritt who really doesn't need it.
- I, JOANNE PUFFER, do hereby will and bequeath my horn to Miss Mahoney in hopes the dramatic department can find some use for it.
- I, MARSHALL ROSENBERG, do hereby will and bequeath my ability to cut classes legally without getting caught to Shirley Swede who doesn't do so well.
- I, JACK FARLEY, do hereby will and bequeath the honor of having to bring my birth certificate in order to play football to Louis Snedigar, who will probably have to do the same next year.
- ___I, BILL WILCOX, do hereby will and bequeath my ability to stay in school fifteen years to Fred James, who is doing all right.
- I, MEL RICHARDSON, do hereby will and bequeath to the unfortunate gents of this school some of the country's cutest gals.
- I, IRMA SILVERSTEIN, do hereby will and bequeath my ballroom dancing ability to Alice Bagby and Marion Barbour, who are better off without it.
- I, STANLEY FRANK, do herey will and bequeath my educated, flirtatious wink to Mel Keller.
- I, JANET COLE, do hereby will and bequeath my love of good food to any junior that really wants to gain weight.
- I, DON McCREADY, do hereby will and bequeath the guesswork navigation that Eugene Wrigley will and bequeathed to me to Charley Sherman in hopes that he will have more use for it than I have.
- I EUGENE ROSENBERG, do hereby will and bequeath all my dogging ability on the basketball court to Johnny McGuire's future stars. They can use plenty of it.
- I, DORIS ANN CARVER, do hereby will and bequeath my knowledge of foreign languages to "Bobby" Newmark, in hopes that she can use it.
- I, CORRINNE DU BOIS, do hereby will and bequeath my ability to go through a full year of Home Economics to any out-of-town female senior.
- I, LONNIE DICKSON, do hereby will and bequeath my ability to miss the game warden to Chickie Sherman. who can't shoot straight anyhow.

Donny Konski, my ability to very jam.

In to the future female students

my out of 'temps' to Mr.

Ind bequeath my red hair to ang for the next carnival.

Size 141 EEEE snowshoes to

- I, JUNIOR ABELE, do hereby will and bequeath to Donny Konski, my ability to stay in school fourteen years, never get an A, and get in every jam.
- I, CONSTANCE JAVER, do hereby will and bequeath to the future female students of the senior class "the little man who isn't there!"
- I, EVELYN BELOV, do hereby will and bequeath my out of 'temps' to Mr. McKernon's discretion.
- I, LORRAINE SYLVIA BROWN, do hereby will and bequeath my red hair to the custodians to hang out as a danger signal when preparing for the next carnival.
- I, DEL DAMRAU, do hereby will and bequeath my size 14½EEEE snowshoes to Miss Roberts to keep her from trekking any deeper among the English poets.
- I, FRANK BERLIN, do hereby will and bequeath my ability not to take English from Miss Roberts to some unsuspecting junior.
- I, ELIZABETH LEWIS, do hereby will and bequeath my athletic ability in all sports to my sister, Dot, in the hopes that some day she will receive a reward or letter.
- I, JANE TASHIRO, do hereby will and bequeath all my notes—both sweet and sour—to any music minded beginner who has not, as yet, started a collection of his own.
- I, JEANNE RODGERS, do hereby will and bequeath my ability to make string beans and shredded carrots look like typewriter ribbon to Billy Wilcox, who really doesn't need it.
- I, CHARLENE FARVER, do hereby will and bequeath my ability to go with the same boy four years to those juniors and sophomores who need it.
- I, DAVID LEVANTIN, do hereby will and bequeath to a dumber fellow than I the luck of always passing by the skin of my teeth.
- I, JEAN WINTER, do hereby will and bequeath my big feet to my younger brother, Harold, who is doing well by himself.
- I, PHYLLIS HOROWITZ, do hereby will and bequeath to anyone junior the task of taking the roll in Miss Rickman's first period study hall.
- I, EDWIN CHENTOFF, do hereby will and bequeath my old kiddy car, set of building blocks, tin soldiers and all-day sucker to Mr. J. C. McGuire, who will enjoy playing with them more than anyone else I know.
- I, ESTELLE SCHIFFMAN, do hereby will and bequeath my ability to sew (?) to Bunny Miller and Selma Shapiro and may they find it as profitable as I haven't.
- I, GEORGE BERLIN, do hereby will and bequeath my double to anybody who wants to be called by the wrong name all the time.
- I, HARRIET KOHN, do hereby will and bequeath my sense of humor and ability to act nonchalant in English class to "Little Caeser" Roberts, who for some unknown reason asked for it.
- I, LILA NICHOLSON, do hereby will and bequeath my ability to get to school at 8:29 to any junior who feels lucky.
- I, MERVIN KELLER, do hereby will and bequeath part of my good nature to Miss Eileen Terry—(I'm still looking for the other part).
- I, IRVING FRIEDMAN, do hereby will and bequeath my Chemistry notes to anyone who likes to analyze hand-writing.
- I, HELEN CLANCY, do hereby will and bequeath my ability to get up in the morning for school to Elsa Kennon.

- I, MARGARET JAMES, do hereby will and bequeath my English notes to some deserving junior who doesn't care to get writer's cramp.
- I, SALLY MANTELL, do hereby will and bequeath my ability to graduate from high school to Miriam Neham.
- I, HASSELTINE HUNT, do hereby will and bequeath my southern accent to Mr. Harkness, who needs it!
- I, IRWIN SUBERMAN, do hereby will and bequeath my interest in chemistry to an unsuspecting sophomore who is gullible enough to take it.
- I, EVELYN TERRY, do hereby will and bequeath to any coming senior the mania for getting in trouble that I have.
- I, SEYMOUR COHEN, do hereby will and bequeath my ability to stay in school for so long to the unfortunate student who has nothing better to do for the rest of his life.
- I, BOB RIDDLEBERGER, do hereby will and bequeath my ability to have dates on school nights to any junior who can stay awake in class the next day.
- I, ANNILEE CANTOR, do hereby will and bequeath my ability to become a senior to my cousin Bud Freedman.
- I, PHYLLIS KRUGER, do hereby will and bequeath my ability to say the right thing at the wrong time to Dolores Bloom.
- I, MARTIN GREENBERG, do hereby will and bequeath to the Future Students of M. B. H. S. the pleasant atmosphere prevailing within the portals of this school.
- I, PHYLLIS PELTON, do hereby will and bequeath my ability to say the wrong thing at the wrong time to Joan Mitchell.
- I, ELAINE BURTON, do hereby will and bequeath to Cynthia Read my corridor romance in hopes that she will make good use of it.
- I, MARYLYN ALTSCHUL, do hereby will and bequeath to any blonde, work-loving junior my position as secretary to Mr. McGuire.
- I, CELIA MANGELS, do hereby will and bequeath my ability to get out at 2:10 for swimming to Pat Rodgers, who will probably do a better job of it than I have.
- I, BERT SUBEN, do hereby will and bequeath pages 1,876 and 1877 of the dictionary in Miss Boyd's room for the posterity who wish to leave notes there for the girl in the next period class.
- I, DONALD KLEIN, do hereby will and bequeath to my cousin Dick my ability to mix my English assignments with my other assignments.
- I, RAY TURNBULL, do hereby will and bequeath my ability to get a satisfactory excuse for being absent to Fred James.
- I, ALICE PRESS, do hereby will and bequeath my ability to play Beethoven to those who don't know the difference anyhow.
- I, MEL RICHARDSON, do hereby will and bequeath to the up and coming seniors the ability to get along with all of their teachers without getting thrown out of class as many times as I did.
- I, NATALIE MARTIN, do hereby will and bequeath this school to all those future students who are lucky enough to attend it.
- I, BEATRICE MELLICKER, do hereby will and bequeath Bob Marcus, a lover, earnest and sincere, to the Senior girls of 1940-41.
- I, HAROLD BAMBERG, do hereby will and bequeath to Mr. McMillan my slow northern talking way and to Coach Roberts a new apple to be polished.

- I, GERTRUDE PICK, do hereby will and bequeath my ability to get out of fourth period to "Bobbie" Newmark.
- I, SOLOMON BLUMENKRANZ, do hereby will and bequeath my vast knowledge of music to George Seltzer, who doesn't need it, and also my ability to graduate high school to my brother, Howard, who surely needs it.
- I, FRANCES SONNEBORN, do hereby will and bequeath my ability to look studious and pass French and Home Ec. in one semester to Audrey Hirsch.
- I, JACK METZGER, do hereby will and bequeath to Miss Roberts my unfailing ability to add one inch to my height every year in the hope she will catch up!
- I, RUTH LAZARUS, do hereby will and bequeath my ability to be tardy to Audrey Hirsch providing detention hall is moved to the commercial room, 312.
- I, HELEN SWETNICK, do hereby will and bequeath to all forthcoming seniors the job of regaining our precious Senior Privileges.
- I, BERTHA WECHSLER, do hereby will and bequeath my ability to find a new crush every other week to any up-and-coming student who is in love with love.
- I, HARRIET WEINTRAUB, do hereby will and bequeath some of my craziest sketches to whoever is able to figure out what they represent.
- I, SHIRLEY BLOOM, do hereby will and bequeath to any unsuspecting underclassman the "Disability" to work for two years in the dramatics department and come off with one part to my credit.
- I, IRVING HOROWITZ, do hereby will and bequeath, in sound mind and body, Madame Brown a new book for her detention record.
- I, ETHEL ZEVIN, do hereby will and bequeath to any sophomore or junior girl in the clothing part of the Home Ec. Department my ability to get an "A" on my first stocking darn.
- I, RICHARD HODES, do hereby will and bequeath Mr. McKernon to George Seltzer and the rest of the band.
- I, ARNOLD GOODHART, do hereby will and bequeath my dear departed seventy-five pounds to whoever wants them.
- I, GIL JOHNSON, do hereby will and bequeath my silence to any loud-mouthed junior who gets in trouble by talking too much.
- I, ELEANOR ROWE, do hereby will and bequeath my beer jacket to June Lundberg—I'm sure it will fit her.
- I, REAN SEILER, do hereby will and bequeath my beautiful green pants to any junior who is man enough to wear them.
 - I, JIM BURGNER, do hereby will and bequeath my height to Bob Boyle.
- I, PERRY COHEN, do hereby will and bequeath my unluckiness in love to Bob Marcus.
- I, MARIANNA BRONSTON, do hereby will and bequeath to Lila Greenspan my ability to carry an intelligent French conversation: on wines and liqueurs and Zombies!
- I, ELY KAUFMAN, do hereby will and bequeath my luck to some junior who will need it to pass as I did.
- I, JOE HIRSCH, do hereby will and bequeath my non-ability to will and bequeath to any up-and-coming junior.

- I, MARGIE TILNEY, do hereby will and bequeath my ability to be restless in study hall to Ellen Anderson, who doesn't need it.
- I, JACQUELINE COOGAN, do hereby will and bequeath my Vergil pony to some future struggling Latin student who wants to get along without any work.
- I, LILLIAN WEINSTEIN, do hereby will and bequeath my ability to talk during study hall without Miss Rickman's permission.
- I, ARLENE BLANK, do hereby will and bequeath my ability to make the high honor role to Shirley Swede.
- I, ANITA PECHTER, do hereby will and bequeath my good fortune to graduate to my cousin, Stanley, who surely needs it.
- I, EDNA TRACHTENBERG, do hereby will and bequeath my height to Muriel Newfeld, who surely would look cute with it.
- I, TRUDY SATIN, do hereby will and bequeath my height to Walter Reid, who really needs it.
- I, SANDY RISSMAN, do hereby will and bequeath my through putt greens to Miami Beach High, with pleasure.
- I, HARVEY KLEIN, do hereby will and bequeath my nose to the entire junior class to give them something to look forward to.
- _I, LUCINDA REDWINE, do hereby will and bequeath the rough draft of my citizenship theme to Grace Walton so that hers will be different for one year at least.
- I, VIVIAN SCHIFFER, do hereby will and bequeath Macbeth to all future strugglers.

With regret at leaving this our loved Alma-Mater, yet with the feeling that our task has been accomplished faithfully and completely we, the Senior Class of 1940, do hereby sign, publish, and declare the above as its last will and testament in the presence of each of us and the below signed witnesses.

MARSHALL ROSENBERG, President

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Meditations On Lost Elysian Paradise

I dwelt in a world where a poet's fancy was wont to dwell,
In a paradise of beauty I fortified a citadel.
I walked in gardens of bright colored flowers
And tiptoed about in Lovers' bowers.

I roamed the forests and fields of heather,

My dog at my side and a cloak for the weather.

I slept in the open 'neath starry skies;

I felt what is solitude, and the forest's eyes.

And I would awake with the rose-red dawn,
The chirping squirrels and tripping fawn,
To drink of clearest sparkling brooks,
Taste good things, and read fine books.

And sit all day upon a woven throne

Of gilded, golden leaves that shone

With such a lustre in the rays of the sun

That the flaming chariot and my throne seemed one.

A sturdy twig I plucked from a tree

And fashioned of it a lute for me.

The smallest and the lightest clime

Were tuned to sweetest verse and rhyme.

Yet how long could such a joyous cup of life be mine?

How long the whispering breeze, the humming bees, the pure sunshine.

Reign with me in my beloved paradise? How long?

How long the quaking leaves, the humming bees, the thrush's song?

How long my gleaming verdant trees and sparkling silver streams?

Alas—they were all but dreams in a poet's world of dreams.

HERBERT LE BOYER

The Eclipse

(An interval of Light between Dark and Dark)

Black—thick black, as thick and as black as tar. All around—creeping slowly, slowly—ever creeping towards him, at last encircling him. Then there was nothing but a deep stillness; a crushing stillness that shook the very soul. And then sleep. He tried to fight off the crawling slumber, but it was an assailant that could not be repelled with arms. It came crashing down upon him, overpowering him as he cursed the intangible thing that the brutal strength of man and his inventions could not repulse. He lay on his back in the mud, weak and trembling. At last all was hollow and gone.

The sparkling dew of early morning washed the young grass freshly green. The air was fragrant without the odor of flowers, fragrant with perfume of early morning freshness. A bird sang with heart bursting at the glory of a day new born.

The sun beat upon his face and he woke—"What is this place of light and freshness and of bird song? Is it THE PLACE of glory and happiness and of living forever? No, it is not; if it were, I would be able to move, but I cannot; yet I can see, hear, and smell—smell the freshness in the air. How pure the air is! I must be in another land—it couldn't be the same. I wonder if I can talk—what shall I say? There is no one about—"

His weak, hollow voice rose above the song of the bird, "sunset and evening star, and one clear call for me—". There was a rustle and a movement from an outer room and two voices broke the morning stillness. One was a woman's.

"He is speaking. Can it be delirium?"

And then came a voice of deeper pitch, that of a man. "It can't possibly be—the fever has broken."

A nurse glided into the room, followed by a doctor. She was a tall, graceful woman with long blonde hair and blue eyes. The doctor, a short man of sturdy and straight stature, wearing an officer's uniform and peering through pince-nez at the pale bandaged figure in the high hospital bed, greeted him. "Well, old man, you had a tough fight, but I think we'll bring you around. This is your nurse. She will see to it that you have everything, and are comfortable until you leave us."

The soldier smiled weakly at the blonde girl. "I'm sure she will be fine, doctor. By the way, what is this place? It can't be behind the lines, the air is too sweet. I'm puzzled."

"Take it easy, now, boy. Miss Wade will do the explaining. Don't talk too much now. I'll pop in to see you later."

A gentle breeze kissed his brow and blew the curtains to and fro, and all was peaceful.

"Three days of light have I since the dark, yet I feel a nothingness in my body. When will I be able to walk?"

A shadow crossed the face of the lovely nurse. She slowly moved towards the bed and took the hand of the young redheaded boy in hers. His hand was hot and trembling.

"Would you think me quite mad if I told you that in three days I have lived a lifetime, that I feel love for an angel who greeted me when I came from the dark into the light of life?" he said.

The girl tried to fight off the look of pity that was destined to cross her face, but it came.

"Dear boy, you must not think these things. It would not be just me, but any

kind of person. This isn't love you feel, but thankfulness—God knows I can't see what you've got to be thankful for."

She could not tell him that he would never walk again, because he had naught with which to walk. She could not say that this interval of light would not last. All she could do was to make it a happy interval.

She moved as one in a dream, smoothing his red hair and smiling into his laughing eyes. He was happy, the air was fresh, and bird song filled the halls of pain.

"When I am out of here we will have such fun. We will dance in the gayest places and run through the fresh green fields, hysterically happy children." And always she would smile and say, "Yes, yes, we shall be very happy then."

And then it came—in the day of a cool wind and blooming flowers, a strange burning in his head—a burning that made him weak—and gave him the feeling of falling from great heights. He called her to him in a voice without happiness—in a voice that was death itself, and she came and rested her cool hand upon his forehead, and he whispered, "Sunset and evening star, and one clear call for me." Then there was nothing but blackness.

JOAN LEIGH FLEMING

Study??

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'Tis rumored that people study in Study Hall, and in order to dispel any doubts concerning this subject, we hereby publish a radiator's eye view of the situation. Any similarity to actual persons is purely accidental.

A bell rings; sounds of a stampede come from the corridor. From the general melee become detached the heroines of this little tale, four seniors of average or (they like to think) more than average intelligence. They greet each other like long-lost friends, although they have parted not two hours ago.

These girls take their places next to the radiator with every intention of getting a great deal of work done, but somehow they just can't get down to it. Notes fly back and forth, their owners neglecting to take even slight precautions against discovery. As interest in the topic waxes, they don't even take time to scribble notes; they begin—dare it be said?—they begin to talk. Without realizing it, they become more than slightly audible. A pointed remark from the harrassed teacher brings these loquacious four guiltily back to earth. With their elusive good intentions again remembered, the girls reapply themselves to their studying. This cycle then repeats itself, until the teacher effectively silences these girls for a few moments by threatening to separate them. But even that threat doesn't hold them for long, despite their good resolutions.

Much to the relief of the teacher and those near our four friends, the bell finally rings. As our heroines reluctantly exit together (for they really do enjoy Study Hall and like the teacher), they can't understand why they haven't accomplished very much during the period.

Yes, people study in Study Hall-sometimes.

PEGGY SPORBORG

"The Old Order Changeth"

NBOUNDED "wishful thinking" and an occasional salute to the flag is not enough to meet the stern challenges and menaces which now threaten our hard-earned democracy. Today we are being subjected to all the ills of a world caught in turbulent waters, and our duty, youth's duty, is to continue that persistent task of helping in any legitimate way to formulate an intelligent public opinion upon which good government must depend for support. Greenhorns we may be, but a chance to combat ignorance, civic complacency, selfishness and greed, should not be denied us.

There are those in the adult generation who condemn democracy as impracticable, or as an established failure, and rest their case upon the argument that this aim can never be attained by any considerable percentage of a national population. They quote the low percentage of the adult population, who are sufficiently interested in public affairs to vote, (but the "blind" voting on referendum measures), the low order of political leadership they esteem, and the undoubted influence of sensational and misleading propaganda. These are damaging arguments, but it does not follow that the majority of citizens are incapable of greater civic interest and effort. Perhaps the remedy is more democracy and more education, not less. Herein lies a challenge to us, the youth, to give democracy a thorough trial by extending equality of opportunity for education to all citizens and by consciously aiming education at social understanding and effective citizenship.

Today, we must follow a completely new plan for development of worthy citizenship. An effective citizen should have the inclination to inform himself on public affairs and the knowledge of how to go about it. He should know something of the historical background of current problems so that he can understand the social forces at work and separate truth from fiction in his reasoning. He should recognize that good citizenship begins in his home community and take an intelligent interest in local planning. He should know something of the organization of government and party machinery and be able to make use of such agencies.

WE MUST recognize, however, that neither social understanding nor effective citizenship can come through knowledge alone. These can be fully developed only by some form of active participation. It is truthfully said of some men that "they know, but they do not understand". Our public school can contribute to actual understanding and activity by treating civic issues frankly. Unwarranted interference by individuals and groups to prevent frank discussion of controversial questions in schools should not be tolerated by the public. Furthermore, the school itself is a civic agency and can be organized as such, emphasizing the growth of our ability in self-government by permitting us freedom to attempt organized activity. Parents can be encouraged to participate freely in school affairs, co-operating with subordinate student undertakings. Far from feeling resentment or amuse-

ment at the desire of us students to "reorganize the world", adults should recognize clearly that we *must* reorganize it; that the course of social change must be guided by us, the future citizens.

SUCH open discussion and organized activity need not be confined to the class-room. Probably we need, as much as any other one thing, a few thousand active community organizations—groups engaged in community planning and definitely committed to the conduct of open forums, where those disposed to inform themselves can engage in free discussion of social questions. Out of such groups might emerge less prejudice and partisanship, less dogmatic opinion, and truer understanding of social issues. A further consequence should be an increase of ability to make a wise choice of leaders. The more complicated society becomes, the greater is the reliance which must be placed on leaders. To know the difference between real and mock leaders is an excellent test of "breadth of education" received.

This aim is indeed so challenging as to reach right to the heart of this whole discussion. Are our schools so cloistered and formal that they are turning out groups of civic incompetents unable to think or act on public questions?

The citizenship aims specified are not to be treated in education as though they were distinct aspects of life. They all represent inseparable interests of any normal, many-sided individual. The social ideal of citizenship is to guide all members of society toward wide interests and strong, self-directing personalities. Only free men can create a free society, and free men are those who have been loosed from bondage to ignorance, superstition, and fear.

-Marianna Bronston.

EDITOR'S NOTE: The above is the winning composition of the Dade County Civitan Essay Contest and was chosen from a group of over four thousand entries.

a Joast

Gotta say a toast
To the senior graduates;
Gotta stand and boast,
And listen to tut-tuts.

Gotta say I'm sad
'Cause they're graduating,
That I feel so glad
'Cause of their high rating.

Guess everyone goes through
The misery of a speech,
Standing up and gazing, too,
On laughing eyes that seem to reach

Grabbing at your tongue and pushing So you cannot speak.
When you start to talking,
Only sound: a gentle squeak.

Then next day the teacher tells you Just how terrible you were, And that you must go thru' Your speech again with her.

Then on that night of agony You stand before the crowd; And all your pent up misery Comes down in one big cloud.

But, much to your amazement, The words begin to flow As evenly as if you meant Each word you said just so.

And afterwards your friends Tell you that you were swell, And your teacher ends By saying you did well.

And so, these lessons teach It really isn't had at all To give a parting speech To your seniors in the fall.

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ELLEN ANDERSON

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Were sons of our Mothers born to die
On an alien land midst filth and gore?
And did God create our souls to buy
A foreign cause on a distant shore?

Why be fuel for a dictator's flame,
Or a martyr for another's war?
We don't want disaster, death and shame;
God! Just give us peace forevermore!
Amen.

THOMAS LIFSEY

The Jasmine

O tiny flower that hides all day

And throws your perfumes for winds to sway,

You help to make the tropic night

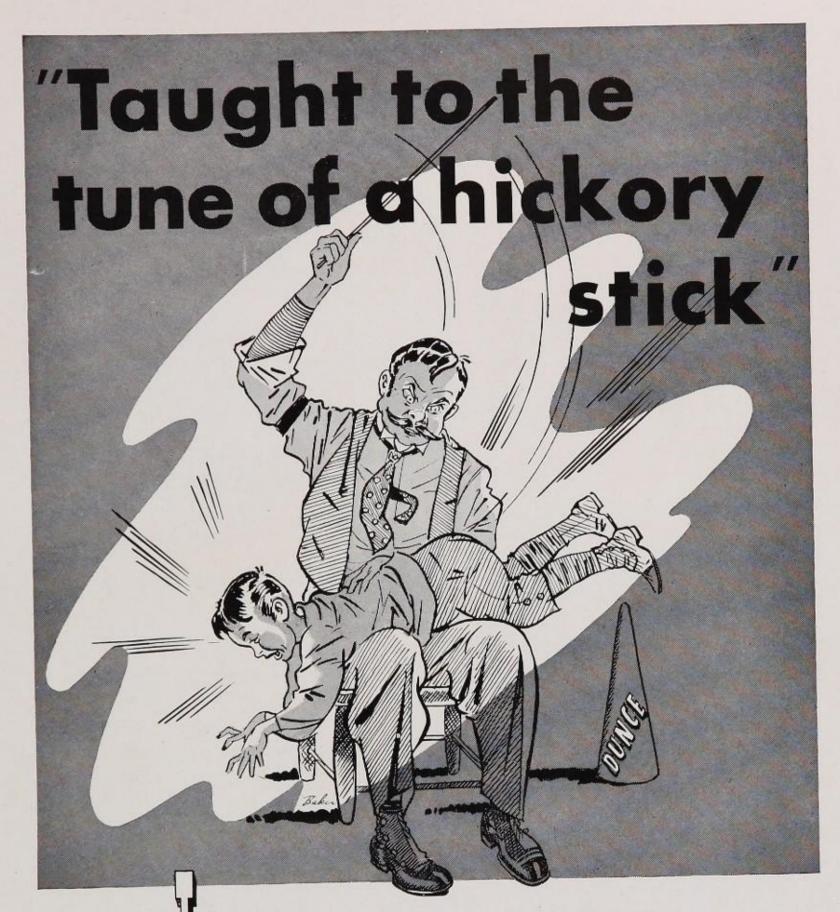
A fairy tale of great delight.

You always hide your little face,
Hoping there will be no trace,
But oh, such haunting perfumes do
Reveal your hiding place for you.

If you must cast your magic spell upon a
world that doesn't care,

I hope that I'll be passing by to catch the wonder in the air.

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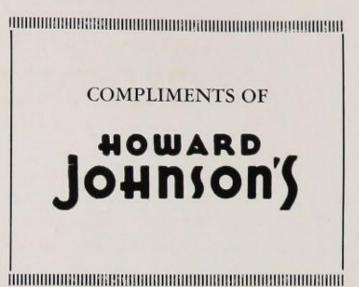
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- 3. Walk into class with a smile as though you had the air of having done your homework.
- 4. Raise your hand every time he starts to call on someone else. Then it will be too late to call on you, but he will still think you knew the answer.
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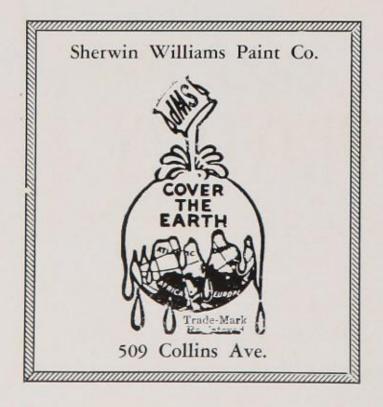
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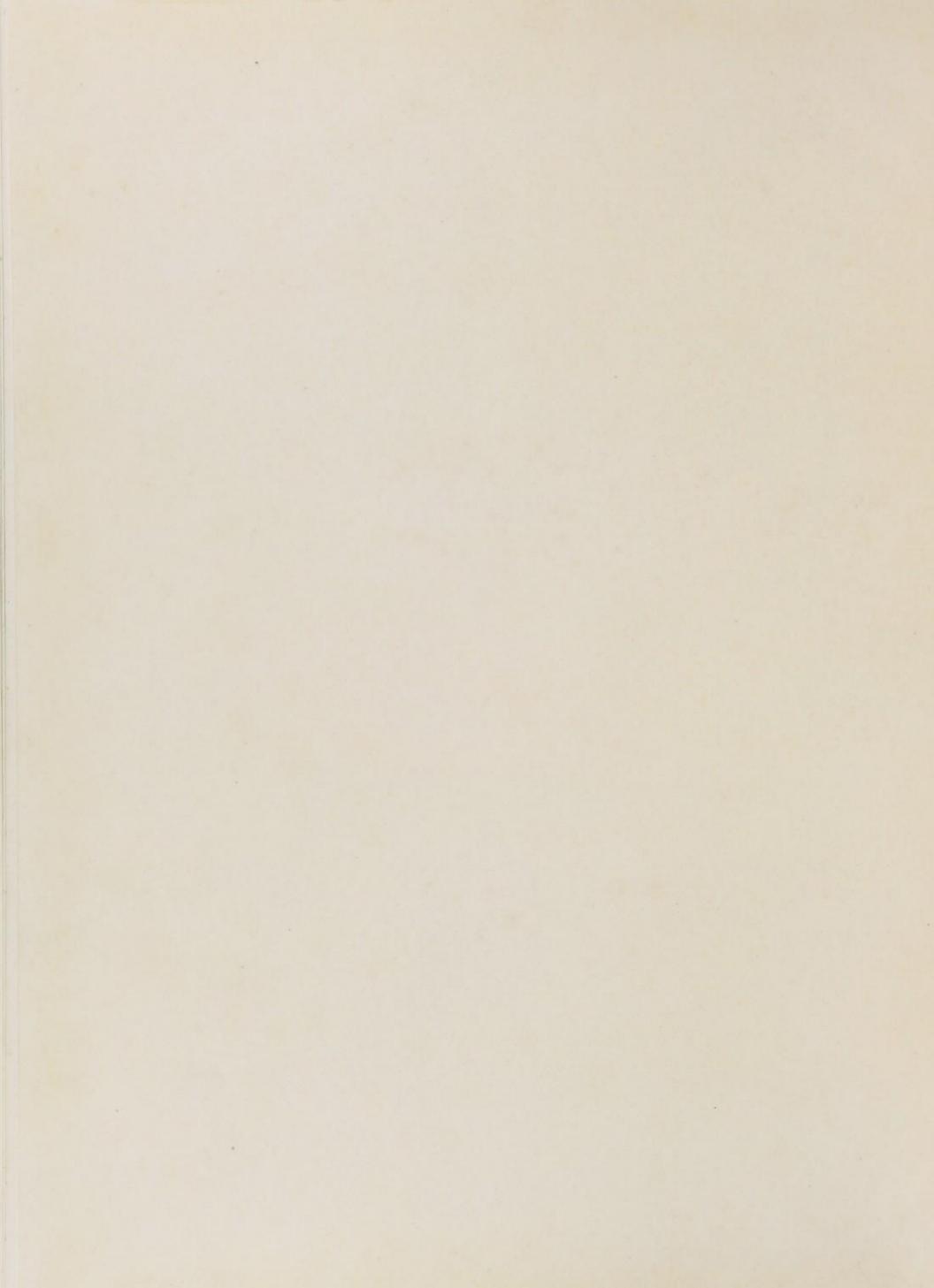
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